

Always Shun
Inferior Substitutes

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BIG SANDY NEWS.

Aut inveniam viam, aut faciam.

After Sickness
or Operation
physicians
usually prescribe
**Scott's
Emulsion**
the food-making,
strength-building
food- tonic
without alcohol.

PRESIDENT APPEALS TO PEOPLE TO WORK

PATRIOTISM CAN BE EXERTED BY
EXTRA EFFORTS IN MANY
LINES.

The address follows:
My Fellow Countrymen:

The entrance of our own beloved country into the grim and terrible war for democracy and human rights which has shaken the world creates so many problems of national life and action which call for immediate consideration and settlement that I hope you will permit me to address to you a few words of earnest counsel and appeal with regard to them.

"We are rapidly putting our navy upon an effective war footing and are about to create and equip a great army, but these are the simplest parts of the great task to which we have addressed ourselves. There is not a single selfish element so far as I can see in the cause we are fighting for. We are fighting for what we believe and wish to be rights of mankind and for the future peace and security of the world. To do this, great things worthily and successfully we must devote ourselves to the service without regard to profit or material advantage and with an energy and intelligence that will rise to the level of the enterprise itself. We must realize to the full how great the task is and how many things, how many kinds of elements of capacity and service and self sacrifice it involves.

"These, then, are the things we must do, and do well, besides fighting—the things without which more fighting would be fruitless:

What Is Needed.

"We must supply abundant food for ourselves and for our armies and our seamen, not only but also for a large part of the nations with whom we have now made common cause in whose support and by whose sides we shall be fighting.

"We must supply ships by the hundreds out of our shipyards to carry to the other side of the sea, submarines or no submarines, what will every day be needed there and abundant materials out of our fields and our mines and our factories with which not only to equip our own forces on land and sea, but also to clothe and support our people for whom the gallant fellows under arms can no longer work, to help clothe and equip the armies with which we are cooperating in Europe, and to keep the looms and manufacturing in raw materials; coal to keep the fires going in ships at sea and in the furnaces of hundreds of factories across the sea; mules, horses, cattle for labor and for military service; everything with which the people of England, and France, and Italy and Russia have usually supplied themselves, but cannot now afford the men, the materials or the machinery to make.

Addresses Farmers.

"I take the liberty, therefore, of addressing this word to the farmers of the country and all who work on the farms:

"The supreme need of our own nation and the nations with which we are cooperating is an abundance of supplies, and especially of foodstuffs. The importance of an adequate food supply, especially for the present year, is superlative. Without abundant food alike for the armies and the peoples now at war, the whole great enterprise upon which we have embarked will break down and fail. The world's food reserves are low. Not only during the present emergency but for some time after peace shall come both our own people and a large proportion of the people of Europe must rely upon the harvests in America. Upon the farmers of this country, therefore, in a large measure rests the fate of the war and the fate of the nations. May the nation not count upon them to omit no step that will increase the production of their land or that will bring about the most effectual cooperation in the sale and distribution of their products? The time is short. It is of the utmost importance that everything possible be done and be done immediately to make sure of large harvests. I call upon young men and old alike and upon the able-bodied boys of the land to accept and act upon this duty—to turn in hosts to the farms and make certain that no pains and no labor is lacking in this great matter.

YSAYE FAILED TO APPEAR.

Prof. W. C. Hunter and Mr. M. S. Burns went to Cincinnati last Thursday to hear the famous Belgian violinist, Ysaye. He failed to appear and there were conflicting reports as to the reason. One report said he had lost his mind as the result of his home in Belgium having been destroyed by the Germans.

ANOTHER GERMAN BONER.

Boston, April 15.—Charles M. Schwab President of the Bethlehem Steel company, was offered \$100,000,000 by a German emissary if he would cease making munitions for the allies. This astonishing statement was made by Mayor Curley of Boston, at a big patriotic gathering here today. "And this big American, who stood for the great principles of the republic, refused," added the Mayor amid applause.

WILL DRILL WELL.

J. N. Marcum, of this place, has organized a company to drill a well on an old lease at Olympia in Bath county. Kirk brothers have the contract for drilling and will start at once.

BIG GAS WELL DRILLED ON BEAVER CREEK.

A great many oil men are playing the northeast extension of the Irvine pool, and are taking up acreage in Floyd and Johnson counties, as the Warfield anti-dine extends from Kernit, W. Va., through the county of Martin into Floyd. There are now a number of wells in Floyd county in the Berea sand, some of which are 25 years old. A number of wells are now being contracted for in that county.

On Beaver creek, in Floyd county, West Virginia persons brought in a 3,000,000 gasser within the last week.—Lexington Herald.

CHILD DIES OF WHOOPIING COUGH.

James, the three months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis E. Page, died Saturday morning after a few days illness of whooping cough. The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon at the residence and was conducted by Rev. H. B. Hewlett. Burial in Fulkerson cemetery.

BILLY SUNDAY IN NEW YORK.

"Some people are so tight that if you asked them to sing 'Old Hundred' they would sing 99 and save 1 per cent. If they put a dime in the collection they want to sing: 'God Be With You 'Till We Meet Again'."

"Last year we spent \$2,200,000,000 for liquor. The grain that was used for this liquor, if made into loaves, would have paved a street 1,500 miles long, 200 feet wide, with each loaf weighing a pound.

"Last year we spent about \$900,000,000 for tobacco. A man can use tobacco and be a Christian, but he will be a mighty dirty one.

"If you want to smoke, fill up an old briar, but cut out the nasty, filthy cigarettes. If all the cigarettes smoked last year in this country were laid end to end they would stretch 3,698,411,000 miles, 125 times around the world. Booze fighting and cigarette smoking are the principal things that keep men and boys from getting jobs in this day.

"There are 3,000,000 cigarette fiends in our country, including thousands of fool women. Let me tell you, sister, when I see you smoking a cigarette I don't want to know anything more about you. I've got your number.

Patriotic Meeting at Hellier

PEOPLE EAGERLY THROG TO HEAR SPEAKERS.

HELLIER, KY.—(Spec.)—Patriotism is at its height in Hellier. With great excitement prevailing, people mighty eager to hear speakers throng in Star Theatre. And the immense gathering was the scene at the Star Theatre Thursday night when several speakers were here to pay honors to the Hellier boys that have enlisted for service in the U. S. army, who will leave immediately. Dr. W. D. Sanders made the opening address. A magnificent and eloquent address was delivered by Joel E. Childress, prominent Pikeville attorney, that was very striking and impressive.

The building was packed beyond capacity, many were compelled to stand on the outside. I was compelled myself to stand behind the piano. Many songs were sung with great applause.

Nearly everyone shook hands with the boys bidding them good bye, although they took it very lightly, yet they realized the critical condition.

Beautiful prayer service was offered by Mrs. M. M. A. Lenton, wife of Dr. Lenton, of Lookout that should enlighten the boys.

The Star theatre has handsomely decorated with flags and other floral designs fitted for the occasion.

The Star Spangled Banner was sung and at the close of the meeting "I will be with you, till we meet again," brought tears from the Hellier folk.

The chorus consisted of Mrs. M. A. Lenton, Lookout; Louis Pike, Henry Clay, G. C. Ratliff, Miss Lena Lyons and her sister Flo and Charlie Hughes. The following fourteen enlisted and leave on the Friday morning train: Mont Wooten, Landon Hunt, Roy Bentley, Nute Harmon, Henderson Relford, Jeff Russell, Jno. Kozee, Joe Cornett, Clyde Barnett, Fred Cooper, Jake McPeckles, Delmon McPeckles, Jno. Babe, Jr., Irwin Childress.

MOBILIZATION IS ORDERED AT ONCE.

Lexington, Ky., April 17.—Orders from headquarters of the Department of the East, received here today, directs the immediate mobilization here of the Second and Third Regiments, Kentucky National Guard.

The troops will begin arriving here tomorrow.

WELLMAN-PAGE.

On last Monday evening Mr. Tom Page, of Ashland, and Miss Maymie Wellman, of this city, were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's parents in lower Louisa by Rev. M. A. Hay. The bride is the second daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Ira Wellman and is a pretty and attractive girl. Mr. Page is a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Page, of this place, and has employment in Ashland where they will reside. Both Mr. and Mrs. Page are very popular in their circle of friends.

KENTUCKY EDUCATORS ANNOUNCE PROGRAM.

The program for the Kentucky Educational Association meeting at Louisville April 25-28 has been sent out by R. E. Williams, of Louisville, secretary of the association.

AGRICULTURAL AGENT RESIGNS HIS POSITION

A. C. YOUNG ACCEPTS MORE LUCRATIVE PLACE IN BARREN COUNTY.

Mr. A. C. Young, the Agricultural Agent, who has been with us a year and employed for another year, has resigned from his position here and accepted another in the agricultural fields of western Kentucky with a large increase in salary. West Virginia bid for Mr. Young's service, Wayne county giving a handsome inducement in salary and tendering an assistant aid, but "Kentucky could not see the way."

Mr. Young has gone to Barren county, his new field, and will have headquarters at Glasgow, the county seat. He desires that we express to the people of Lawrence county his gratitude for their kindness and his regrets at leaving.

No agent has been assigned to this county in his stead, but this will probably be done as soon as possible.

Mr. Young gives the following parting injunction to Lawrence county: "The farming interests of the country finds it necessary to cooperate along all lines to conserve and increase the production of foods. To maintain normal conditions the Department of Agriculture throughout the states, counties and communities are endeavoring to solve the shortage of labor by organizing the men into systematic farmers, the women into conservationists, and to enlist the boys and girls to do real work on the farm by having them do some definite specific thing; in districts where labor is congested the propaganda is to route those conditions to supply the greater fields of effort in farming."

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GOOD ROADS PLAN TAKING DEFINITE FORM

LAWRENCE COUNTY ORGANIZATION BEING PERFECTED AS RAPIDLY AS POSSIBLE.

The Executive Committee of the Good Roads Association of Lawrence county had a very enthusiastic meeting at the office of Augustus Snyder, in Louisa, on Monday, April 16.

The session was attended by the Chairman of each Magisterial District in the county, save two, which is demonstrative that the magistrates of the county used their usual good judgment in the selection of the Chairman of their respective districts. One man only refused to accept this responsible position, and his refusal was not based upon lack of interest and good feeling for the work, but due to other causes. The other Chairman who was not present did not receive the letter of notification advising him of this meeting, which is explanatory of his absence.

The determination of acting these public-spirited was a notable feature of the meeting.

The members of this Executive Committee present were Dr. L. S. Hays, of Charley; Dr. W. W. Wray, of Richardson; John H. McClure, of Gallup; V. B. Shortridge, of Glenwood; John Dameron, of Irad; William Riley, of Yatesville; Augustus Snyder and Fred M. Vinson, of Louisa. The committee also had with them the County Judge, J. B. Clayton, County Attorney, C. F. See, Jr., Jailer Noah Wells, and Sam Sturgill.

There were various plans pertinent to the purpose of the Association under discussion at this meeting, and it was definitely decided that the President and Secretary of the Association together with the County Judge and County Attorney, should make a visit in each Magisterial District for the purpose of the organization of the work in that portion of the county.

And in furtherance of that resolve, the aforesaid gentlemen went to Charley, Ky., upon Thursday of this week, and participated in the meeting there, which we believe can only result in good.

Upon today, the gentlemen meet the people of Dobbin's precinct at Gallup in the forenoon, and on this evening there will be held a meeting at Richardson.

The plan of organization determined upon at the meeting of the Executive Council embraces a trip for the organization of the remaining districts in the county, the schedule of which is as follows: A meeting at Fallsburg, 10 a. m., Thursday, April 26th; at Webbville, 6 p. m., Thursday, April 26th; at Blaine, 10 a. m., Friday, April 27th; and at Irad, at 4 o'clock, Friday, April 27th.

It is expected by the organization that those persons in the neighborhood of these meetings will show their interest in this work by their attendance at these meetings for the purpose of further organization, even at sacrifice of some time. It is the thought of those intimately connected with this work, that a good start has been made which, with the right spirit shown by the people, will carry it through to a benefit to all.

LOSS BY SINKING OF BOAT.

Homer A. Scholze and Roy Hensley lost all their household goods by the sinking of a boat on the Ohio river above Point Pleasant. They were moving to the site of the new dam near that place. Mr. Scholze's loss includes a fine automobile. Mr. Hensley is a son of C. E. Hensley, of Louisa.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONTEST OFF.

The Sunday school contest between the M. E. Church South of Louisa and the Mayo Memorial of Paintsville has been called off. The auditorium of the church will not be in use in time and the basement alone would not be sufficient for the purpose.

Recruiting Officer at Louisa Brick Laying Starts Next Week

Recruiting officer Howard Ingram is at the Hotel Brunswick to remain until the first of May or later. He is here to enlist all eligible men who desire to volunteer for service in the present war. Men from 16 to 40 years are acceptable. The terms of enlistment permit them to secure discharge at the close of the war.

The Big Sandy country is furnishing a large number of recruits and Lawrence county will no doubt do her part. About 160 of our young men enlisted in the Spanish-American war.

Four men went from here to Ashland Tuesday to enlist. They were two Nunnells, and one each Rice and Wooten, all of Huletts. We failed to learn their first names.

FOOD COMMISSION NAMED.

Gov. Stanley has appointed his commission to take charge of the food production situation in Kentucky in accordance with the conference to be held at Lexington Saturday with officials of the Agricultural Extension Department. The members of the commission are: M. O. Hughes, Bowling Green, chairman; James Thompson, Owensboro; Peter Lee Atherton, Louisville; George Roberts and Joseph Leconte, Lexington; John A. Lee, Shelbyville; John E. Buckingham, Paintsville; Harry Hartke, Covington; R. E. Cooper, Hopkinsville; Joseph Robinson, Lancaster; Claude Walker, Hickman; J. A. Berry, Paducah.

Securing of seeds, acreage, cultivation and crop rotation will be within the scope of the commission's work.

LOUISA CHEMICAL COMPANY.

M. S. Burns, attorney for the chief creditors, bid in the property of the Louisa Chemical company, which was sold by the receiver, B. J. Calloway, last Monday at the court house in this city.

FINE RESIDENCE IN LOUISA SOLD FOR \$8000.

Mrs. Carrie Snyder Adams has sold her residence property in Louisa to Mr. J. M. Mounts, who recently purchased J. P. Gartin's home. He came here from Vienna, Virginia. Mr. Mounts had intended to build a new house on the Gartin lot, but afterward decided to buy the handsome residence from Mrs. Adams and will not build. The price paid is said to be \$8000. Mr. Mounts will occupy the residence very soon. We are glad to have him for a citizen.

FOUR SLIGHTLY INJURED IN RAILROAD WRECK.

Fireman A. Brumfield, of C. & O. passenger train No. 36, who lives at Hampton City, suffered a sprained back when his train ran into a freight train near Pikeville. Three passengers, all Pikeville men, were slightly injured. Dave New suffered slight injuries to his head, Robert Ratliff was injured on the leg and Sam Memory was hurt about the shoulder.

The engine of the passenger train and the caboose of the freight train were somewhat damaged.

PNEUMONIA CAUSES DEATH.

Eleanor, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aden See, passed away last Friday night at the home of Mrs. See's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bartram, of Clifford, where they had been visiting several weeks. She was nearly a year old and her death followed a short illness from pneumonia.

The funeral and burial took place Sunday morning. Among those from Louisa, who attended were Fred See and Miss Celeste See.

Burial was in the Bartram graveyard at the Falls of Tug.

CERTIFICATES UPHELD.

Frankfort, Ky., April 17.—County superintendents who took a special examination and secured certificates before their last election are eligible to re-election on these certificates, the Court of Appeals holding in a test case between H. H. Brock, of Richmond, against State Superintendent V. O. Gilbert that these certificates are equivalent in duration to State teachers' certificates and diplomas, which run for eight years and are renewable for eight more.

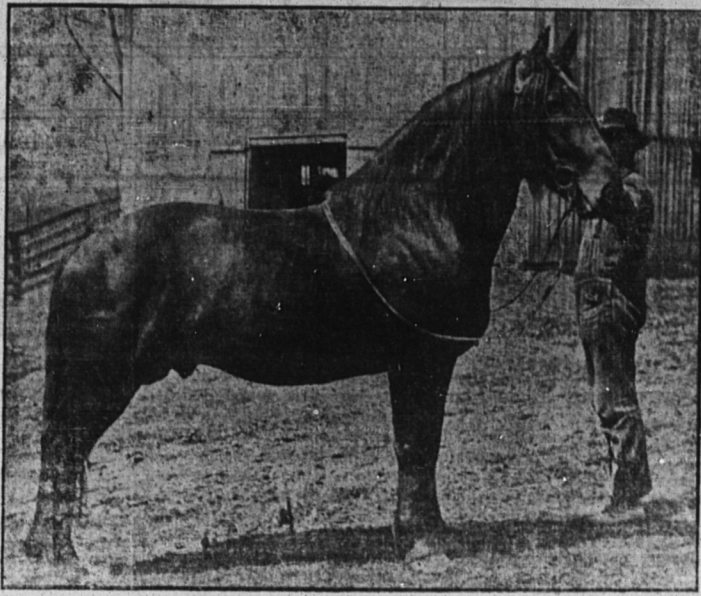
Kentucky Oil Development

Barbourville, Ky., April 15.—The Kentucky-Tennessee petroleum fields are now filled with operators who are after leases for development and not to sell, as in former days, when stock speculation and lease-scalping prevailed to a greater extent than actual development. Big concerns all over the country are acquiring leases in Kentucky and Tennessee. Many who lost money in former days are back into the development game and these old-timers are among the most enthusiastic backers of the fields as now defined.

Outstanding features of late operations are some wells of more than ordinary capacity in the Upper Kentucky districts and a few strikes in the deeper sands of Eastern Kentucky. Twenty-one counties of Kentucky have figured in completed work during the past month, with several additional districts now included in the area of testing.

What is regarded as the best well yet drilled in Kentucky was a 500 barrel producer drilled on the Ashley lease, Powell-co., last Wednesday. This strike was P. J. White's ninth venture on the Ashley lease. Oil was found at 700 feet, the flow filling a 500-barrel tank the first day,

REX, THE KING OF STALLIONS



Will make the season of 1917 at the barn of
V. D. HARMON
 near Cadmus, Kentucky, and at such other places as Mr. Harmon may select.

The above cut represents Rex at 5. He is now 8 and is much better developed. His weight is above 1600, just right to breed to our little mares. Rex was raised by Mr. W. C. Glenn, of McConnelville, Morgan-co., O. In a letter to me dated November 2, 1915, Mr. Glenn, speaking of Rex, says, "He is a fine breeding horse. It was one of his colts that took first at our county fair this fall, and there were eleven entries; and he got first last fall as a breeder showing five of his get." Mr. M. M. Chaffin, of Fatsukla, Licking-co., O., bought him from Mr. Glenn on account of his breeding qualities. You can see the significance of this when you understand that Mr. Chaffin is one of the gentlemen that Dr. Harmon used to send to France to import Percheron horses, and that owing to his excellent knowledge of the merits of a draft horse he is selected as one of the judges of drafters in his and adjoining county fairs. It was the colts of Rex that induced Mr.

Chaffin to buy him. Rex is registered by the Percheron Society of America as No. 73510. For particulars of his pedigree address Wayne Dismore of the society, Union Stock Yards, Chicago, sending stamp for reply. He is licensed at \$15 for living colt. Any one owning and breeding more than one mare this season will be charged \$15 for first colt and \$10 for each of the others. I authorize no one to make different terms.

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C. B. STUART, -:- Argentm, Ky.

WAYNE, WEST VA.

Dr. Keese, Lat. Crum, C. W. Ferguson and others are working on a plan to enlist a company of Wayne county boys for the army. The idea we think is a good one. We hope that when recruiting is commenced that it will not take many days to make up the company. About 112 will be required.

Rufus Rester of this county was elected clerk of the federal grand jury at the recent term held in the city of Huntington. When the state wants efficient men for positions Wayne counts are generally selected.

S. J. Vinson, grandson of the late S. J. Ferguson will soon open up a mine on the estate of his grandfather. He has recently purchased a considerable portion of the estate and will operate mines himself.

Mr. Vinson has purchased the store at that point and is farming on a large scale.

Postmaster W. B. Spurlock has been advised by the Post Office Department that the Wayne office has been made an International Money Order office dating from the second of April. He is authorized to sell orders for practically all foreign offices and pay orders written at foreign offices.

Mr. Russell Rucker and Miss Marie Mosser surprised their many friends by slipping quietly over to Ironton and getting married Saturday.

Not even the close relatives had any thought of the affair coming off so suddenly.

Mingo county will soon vote upon a proposition to bond the county for one million dollars for hard roads. The roads when built will touch our county near Wilsendale on the Twelve Pole side and below Keenit on the Tug river side. Cabell, Lincoln, Logan and Mingo are marching out in front. Lawrence and Boyd counties, Ky., are moving in the same direction. What are the people of Wayne county going to do? Are we going to sit idly by and allow neighbors all around us to take these needed improvements?—News.

Dr. Romans, Dr. Keese and Dr. Taylor have been designated by the council of Wayne as a board of health. It is expected that the state laws will be rigidly enforced.

N. W. Curry of the Second W. Va. regiment, who has just returned from the border service in Mexico was visiting his father-in-law, Dr. G. R. Burgess, last week.

FORKS OF HURRICANE.

Our community was turned into mourning and grief when the cold banner of death waved through our midst and claimed for its victim our beloved friend and sister, Lottie Carroll, age 26 years and eleven months. Lottie was a kind and generous hearted girl and loved by all who knew her. She always had kind words for whom she chanced to meet. Lottie leaves a host of friends in this community and was a devoted christian, was converted and baptized when she was quiet young, joining the Protestant church. While our hearts are bereaved for one we loved so well, we realize our loss is heaven's eternal gain, for we know the one that planteth the rose cutteth the bud and we believe that the flower of our heart will bloom fair in Paradise. Lottie was a daughter of William

and Maggie Carroll of Hewlett station. She has been making her home at Fred Massie's and his mother for three years at the Forks of Hurricane, and will be greatly missed in their home and this community.

Gone beyond the darkness river,
 Only left us by the way.
 Gone beyond the night forever
 Only gone to endless day.
 Gone to meet the angel faces
 Where our lovely treasures are
 Gone within the gates ajar.
 There's a sister, there's a brother
 Where our lovely treasures are
 There's a father, there's a mother
 Gone within the gates ajar.
 One by one they go before us;
 They are fading like the dew.
 But we know they are watching
 O'er us,
 They the good, the fair, the true.
 A FRIEND.

MARTHA.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Holbrook were visiting their sister, Mrs. Foster Ferguson Saturday. Miss Hester Gambill was the overnight guest of Misses Carrie and Grettie Holbrook Saturday. Miss Carrie Holbrook was the guest of Mrs. Proctor Sparks Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Holbrook were calling on Merida Gambill recently. There seems to be a reviving interest in the Sunday school at this place. It is hoped this interest will be manifested throughout the spring and summer months. Emory L. Holbrook, superintendent.

AN UNCLAIMED JEWEL.

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Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy hair is mute evidence of a neglected scalp; of dandruff—that awful scrub. There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life; eventually producing a feverishness and itching of the scalp, which if not remedied causes the hair roots to shrink, loosen and die—then the hair falls out fast. A little Danderine tonight—now—any time—will surely save your hair.

Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, lustre and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance, an incomparable gloss and softness; but what will please you most will be after just a few week's use, when you will actually see a lot of fine, downy hair—new hair—growing all over the scalp.

GARNER, BOYD COUNTY, KY.

Wife and I are at Will Cole's on East Fork, a beautiful little stream, beginning three miles above the town of Greenup, runs through Greenup and Boyd counties and borders on the line of Carter county to Lawrence county, through Lawrence county to within five miles of Webbville, the best part of these lower counties and the finest large bottoms of land, fine cattle, horses and mules and some of the best citizens in Kentucky. I have known most of the old citizens for fifty years—the Davidsons, the Kounsers, Hamiltons, Bolts, Riffes, Taylors, Fannins, Hagens, Stuarts and others, too numerous to mention. This is a most prosperous and fine neighborhood. Southern Methodist Baptist and Holiness denominations. It has changed greatly in last two years for then a great many young men went by here drunk, hallooing, racing horses and machines and I have not seen a drunk person or any horse racing or auto racing since I have been here, over a week. Grass all over the hills and valleys beautiful and a fine lot of fine young cattle and fine horses and mules. Two churches in sight of Cole's home, and both have good congregations. Rev. Harris is the preacher on the Grassland circuit.

Peachtrees are almost in bloom. We enjoyed a fine old fashioned dinner at widow Cole's—Dolph's widow. She is a fine cook although 73 years old. We attended Sunday school and church and had a good practical sermon and fine little Sunday school. On Sunday we took dinner with Brother and Sister Chilton Davis. She was the grand-daughter of old Philip Strother, a Southern Methodist minister. It was a fine birthday dinner for me as on Thursday the 19th I will be 77 years old and they are my friends and neighbors and she is the backbone of the Southern Methodist church here on the Grassland circuit and may our God keep them and these people on East Fork well and happy and good, is the prayer of,
 UNCLE TIP MOORE.

Why the Deutschland was Built
 By CARL W. ACKERMAN
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 The German merchant submarine Deutschland, the 700-ton U-boat which, as it sailed into Bremen, looked like a duck with two poles in its back swimming up the Western River, was built by the Krupp interests to bring war supplies from the United States. German mation plants last year had to stop making temporarily 43-centimetre guns and other cannon which require nickel steel, because several of the valuable minerals and ores needed could not be obtained in Europe. Either Krupp had to stop manufacturing nickel steel war munitions—cannon, armor plate and armored automobiles—or the materials had to be brought from America.

About this time the German navy was having difficulty in obtaining reports from the German agents in the United States. Before Captain Boyd was sent back spy reports arrived in Berlin regularly. Sometimes information about events here reached the German navy before they were known at the American Embassy. But the blockade of spies was becoming stricter.

The best evidence that Germany has reached the maximum manufacturing point of heavy artillery is the Deutschland's cargoes. They show that Germany has reached the height of her military efficiency, that certain raw materials are lacking which are needed in gun construction. But this does not mean that Germany is ready to crumble within a few weeks or months. Germany has plenty of iron and copper and sufficient coal to run her ammunition and war material factories for years. But to make the big 23.5 centimetre ship guns, armor plate and the new type German "tank," the finest quality of nickel steel is needed.

The Krupp process of making nickel steel is a secret one, but during a visit to Krupp's last year I saw these ship cannon moulded. One of the officers in charge explained that some forty materials were used. After the naval battle off the coast of Jutland, the Navy Department needed more thirty-eights and more armor plate. Orders were sent to Krupp, but naval officers who are in charge of this work at Essen reported that nickel and other ores were lacking, and that unless they were procured out of Europe construction could not begin.

Finest Guns Demanded.

Early last year the army intelligence department reported that the English were making preparations for an offensive on the Somme and Andre rivers. The General Staff drew up plans for the defence. Demands were made for more nickel steel cannon which could hold out during long bombardments. Only the finest Krupp guns were known to be capable of shooting 2,000 big shells. The General Staff knew that to fight a battle of several months' duration in trench warfare cannon were needed which could be depended upon for continuous action.

Meanwhile agents were sent to the United States via Copenhagen to notify the North German Lloyd representatives here to purchase supplies and make arrangements for the arrival of the Deutschland at Baltimore. Just before the Deutschland returned from its first trip to the United States I visited the Krupp works at Essen. Here I was given the first accurate information about the merchant submarines.

Depended On Deutschland.

One day while I was going through the factory where the 23.5 centimetre ship guns were being assembled, in company with other correspondents from neutral countries, I was told by a Krupp director that the future construction of these guns depended upon the safe return of the Deutschland. Although the Deutschland made two trips it did not bring sufficient valuable ores and materials to keep the Krupp works supplied for more than a few months at the most. When these supplies are exhausted Germany will not be able to manufacture new nickel steel guns. That means that Germany has reached the limit of her ability to construct such weapons. But it does not mean that all she had on hand are in the scrap heap.

German press bureaus sent inspired articles to the press which said that President Wilson was practically permitting the United States government to aid the Allies. The German people believed that the United States was discriminating by helping the Allies get the supplies. The Imperial government encouraged this view because it did not want the people to think about the loss of Germany's sea power. But, when it



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Louisville, Ky.—"I have been so well satisfied with Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets that I am more than glad to recommend them. They have been a family 'stand-by' for fifteen years. My husband cures severe headaches with them. I have used them myself for the purpose advertised and they are wholly reliable, pleasant and efficient. I have given them to all my four children and the results have been for their benefit in every way."—Miss. JOE RAYMOND, 311 N. 18th St.
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came to a pinch, when Germany needed materials from America, desperately, then the Krupp interests did what the Allies did—they sent ships over to America to get supplies.

German People Were Never Told. But the German people were never told that these supplies were war supplies. The German people were never informed that the Deutschland was owned and controlled by Krupp. Alfred Loehmann, who was president of the German Ocean Navigation Company, the Krupp dummy, posed as the originator of the submarine idea. As a matter of fact, he had nothing to do with the designing or building of the Deutschland. The North German Lloyd Company, which is owned almost entirely by Krupp, was used as another dummy. These dummies were appointed as much for the German public as to deceive the American people.

After the Deutschland made its first trip and returned I went to see it sail up the mouth of the Western River. That night I saw members of the crew coming from a dinner at the Rathaus cafe. The next day several of them reported personally to the Navy Intelligence Department of the Admiralty in Berlin. They had made soundings and reports on American waters outside Baltimore for the use of other submarines, including the sea murderers, in case war came, and it would be possible for Germany to send submarines to the United States for offensive purposes. Captain Koenig, in his book, tells about some of the information he and his crew collected regarding the waters in the Chesapeake Bay and the Atlantic.

OLD TIMES AND NEW COMPARATIVE COST.

A Western farmer drove into town the other day to get an old-fashioned article—a buggy—and the salesman at the implement store showed him one at \$90.
 "Talk about the high cost of living," the farmer rumbled. "I can remember that my father bought a buggy exactly like that for \$60 twenty years ago."

The salesman remembered the sale, too, and he responded quickly: "Your father turned in 300 bushels of corn to pay for it. Now, I'll do better by you than I did by your father. You bring in your 300 bushels of corn and I'll let you pick out this list."

And the salesman wrote down:
 One \$90 buggy.
 One \$50 wagon.
 One \$20 suit of clothes.
 One \$20 dress.
 One \$5 baby dress.
 One \$5 crib.
 One \$3 box of cigars.
 \$2 worth of sugar.
 \$1.50 worth of coffee.
 \$1 worth of tea.
 \$40 worth of gasoline.
 \$2.50 worth of lubricating oil.
 The total figure \$240, the value of the 300 bushels of corn he had taken to buy a \$90 buggy 20 years before. The farmer climbed back into his motor car. "I guess I haven't got any kick coming on the high cost of living," he said. "Send out that \$90 buggy."—Kansas City Star.

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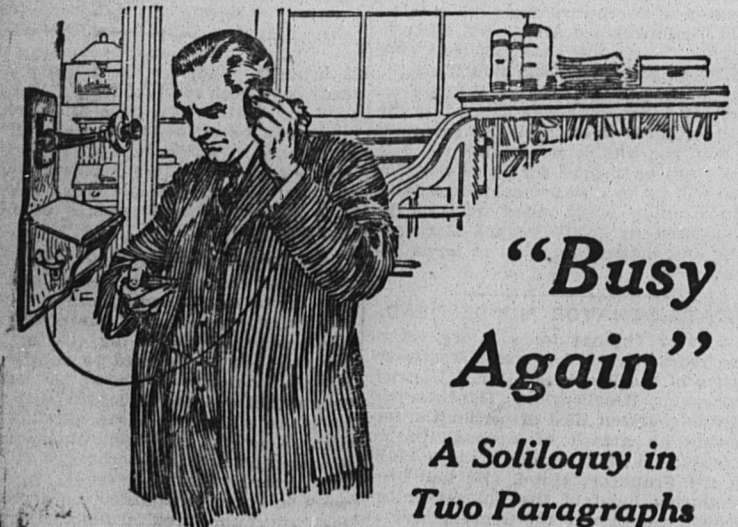
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EAST POINT.

Dr. W. L. Hatcher is on the sick list.

Eugene Davis has returned home from Hot Springs and has resumed work as conductor on C. & O.

Mrs. Jeff Moles and little son, of Auxier, who have been very ill of measles are improving.

Miss Mary Leslie of Burkeville, Va., who has been teaching in Pike county, visited relatives in Floyd and Johnson last week. After spending a few days with Miss Kate Leslie, at Ivel, she came down to visit her uncle, Polk Auxier's family, and from this place to Van Lear, where she will spend a few days with her aunt, Mrs. B. F. Conley, and family. She will also visit her sister, Mrs. Manford Bays at Oil Springs before going to Virginia to spend her vacation. She will be accompanied to Virginia by her sister, Mrs. June Scott and children, of Pike county.

Uncle John Music one of our oldest citizens has been very ill at the home of his son, Andrew Music, but is improving.

Mrs. Robt. Auxier of Auxier, is expected to visit home folks in Oklahoma this month.

Miss Mary Luck will visit her mother, Mrs. Emma Luck in Cincinnati. Sunday school has started up at this place again.

James Badgett of Little Point has rented the Lee Hall farm near Auxier and will remove to it soon. The mineral on his farm was purchased by the Cliff Coal Co.

NORFOLK & WESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY

Announces July 1st, 1917 as the date for Operation of the Relief and Pension Department.

The Board of Directors of the Norfolk & Western Railway company has adopted regulations covering the establishment of a Relief and Pension Department, with a view of placing the company in the considerable group of the railroad and industrial corporations whose organized relief methods have been beneficial to their employees, and efficacious in improving the relations between employer and employee. The regulations provide for a Relief Fund, maintained chiefly by moderate contributions from the employees themselves, which will furnish definite relief benefits in cases of accident or sickness, as well as death benefits to beneficiaries designated by the employees.

The cost of administration of the Fund will be borne by the Railway company, and in case contributions are insufficient to pay the designated benefits such deficiencies will be advanced by the company.

The regulations also make provision for the retirement with pension of officers and employees who have reached the age of seventy; and for good and sufficient reasons, those who have been in the company's service twenty-five years and are between the ages of sixty-five and sixty-nine inclusive; and

those who may become permanently incapacitated after having been in the company's service twenty years or more.

The basis of pension allowance will be one per cent. of the average salary or wages per month for the ten years previous to retirement for each year of service, with a minimum of \$20.00 per month.

The entire cost of pensions will be borne by the company.

It is proposed to put the regulations into effect July 1, 1917.

TUSCOLA.

Church at this place was largely attended Sunday. Preaching by Rev. Roland Hutcheson and a Sunday school was organized.

Ward Womack, who has been at Portsmouth, O., for some time spent the past week with friends and relatives at this place, but has now returned to Portsmouth.

Mrs. E. W. Smith of Webbville, is visiting her daughter, Ella Roberts of this place.

Essa and Estelle Roberts were calling on Garnett and Alberta Jordan Monday last.

J. Watson Smith called on his best girl Sunday.

Misses Vanna Shortridge and Jane Woods were shopping at Mrs. S. W. Graham's Saturday.

Ruby and Elmer Smith of Webbville attended church at Baker Sunday.

Charlie Woods of Louisa, was here Friday and Saturday.

Miss Hazel E. Graham entertained a number of young folks Sunday af-

TERRIBLY SWOLLEN

Suffering Described As Torture Relieved by Black-Draught.

Rossville, Ga.—Mrs. Kate Lee Able, of this place, writes: "My husband is an engineer, and once while lifting, he injured himself with a piece of heavy machinery, across the abdomen. He was so sore he could not bear to press on himself at all, on chest or abdomen. He weighed 165 lbs., and fell off until he weighed 110 lbs., in two weeks.

He became constipated and it looked like he would die. We had three different doctors, yet with all their medicine, his bowels failed to act. He would turn up a ten-cent bottle of castor oil, and drink it two or three days in succession. He did this yet without result. We became desperate, he suffered so. He was swollen terribly. He told me his suffering could only be described as torture.

I sent and bought Theodor's Black-Draught. I made him take a big dose, and when it began to act he fainted, he was in such misery, but he got relief and began to mend at once. He got well, and we both feel he owes his life to Theodor's Black-Draught."

Theodor's Black-Draught will help you to keep fit, ready for the day's work. Try it!

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Mrs. Liza Friend and Miss Frankie Wells were out horseback riding Sunday.

Miss Virgie O. Jordan spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Hazel E. Graham Sunday last.

The roads are drying nicely and the "tin lizzies" will soon be on the go.

Mrs. Lou Webb of Caney spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Martha Dean.

Mrs. Anne Smith was calling on Mrs. H. A. Jordan Wednesday.

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Millions of men and women today know that it is needless to have dyspepsia. A little Diapepsin occasionally keeps the stomach sweetened, and they eat their favorite foods without fear.

If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal limit without rebellion; if your food is a damage instead of a help, remember the quickest, surest, most harmless antacid is Pape's Diapepsin, which costs only fifty cents for a large case at drug stores. It's truly wonderful—it stops food souring and sets things straight, so gently and easily that it is really astonishing. Your stomach will digest your meals if you keep acids neutralized.

WOODS.

The quarterly meeting will be held at this place the fourth Saturday and Sunday in this month, by Bro. Hollister, Spencer and Harmon.

Mrs. Burris Herald, who has been ill for some time, we are glad to say is some better.

We are glad to say that we have our new church near completion.

Otis Burchett, David Morrison and Carl Kendrick spent Sunday with their friend, Mr. Harve Lewis of Shawnee Town.

John S. Burchett, Jr., visited Mr. and Mrs. Hatcher Lewis Sunday.

Bill Riddle made a business trip to Ivel, Ky., Saturday.

Dr. N. L. Vest has moved his dental office from Buffalo to F. W. Walker's. Ernie Burchett visited friends and relatives on Buffalo Sunday.

Elgie Goble purchased a fine young saddle mare recently.

Elmer Morrison and Miss Ollie Burchett called on Mrs. B. W. Herald Sunday.

N. L. Vest spent Sunday with his best girl at this place.

Miss Nell Burchett, who has been visiting at Prestonsburg for some time has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Burchett and Miss Martha Burchett were out driving Sunday afternoon.

O. T. Burchett passed here Saturday with a fine drove of cattle enroute to the Bluegrass.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Taylor have recently moved back to their old home on Cow creek. Reuben says Cow is the heart of the world.

Miss Lizzie Woods entertained to six o'clock dinner Sunday Miss Thelma Goble and Mr. Lee Lewis.

Mrs. Dick Burchett spent the day with her parents Sunday.

Miss Eva Morrison was visiting Mrs. Emma Taylor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Dillon visited relatives on Johns creek Sunday.

Dick Burchett and wife were out riding in their new machine Saturday afternoon.

GREY EAGLE.

BORDERLAND.

E. L. Dingsess is the superintendent of Sunday school at this place.

Rev. Shelton, the pastor at this place, preaches the first Sunday in each month.

Mrs. Woods Justice and family are very happy in their new home in Nolan, W. Va.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Louisa National Bank, at Louisa, in the State of Kentucky, at the close of business, on March 5, 1917.

RESOURCES.	
d. Notes and bills rediscounted (see item 53).....	\$224,560.14
5. U. S. Bonds:	
a. U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value).....	\$50,000.00
b. U. S. bonds pledged to secure U. S. deposits (par value).....	1,000.00
Total U. S. bonds.....	51,000.00
6. Bonds, securities, etc.:	
a. Bonds other than U. S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits.....	3,000.00
b. Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned and unpledged.....	14,663.30
Total bonds, securities, etc.....	19,663.30
7. Stocks, other than Federal Reserve Bank stock.....	550.00
8. Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription).....	2,100.00
9. a. Value of banking house (if unencumbered).....	5,500.00
10. Furniture and fixtures.....	2,000.00
11. Real estate owned other than banking house.....	600.00
12. a. Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago, and St. Louis.....	6,134.29
b. Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities.....	29,253.64
13. Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in 12 or 20).....	254.81
16. a. Outside checks and other cash items.....	499.93
b. Fractional currency, nickels, and cents.....	241.50
17. Notes of other national banks.....	741.43
18. Federal Reserve notes.....	80.00
20. Lawful reserve in vault and net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank.....	40.00
21. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer.....	33,646.62
2500.00	
Total.....	\$378,624.23
LIABILITIES.	
23. Capital stock paid in.....	\$50,000.00
24. Surplus fund.....	20,000.00
25. a. Undivided profits.....	\$14,494.49
b. Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid.....	1,670.94
26. Circulating notes outstanding.....	12,823.55
31. Net amount due to banks and bankers (other than included in 29 or 30).....	49,100.00
32. Demand deposits:	
33. Individual deposits subject to check.....	\$10.55
34. Certificates of deposits due in less than 30 days.....	206,150.67
36. Cashier's checks outstanding.....	12,132.13
37. United States deposits.....	87.01
38. Postal savings deposits.....	1,000.00
Total demand deposits, items 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, and 40.....	2,554.70
41. Certificates of deposit.....	221,954.56
Total.....	23,935.57
STATE OF KENTUCKY COUNTY OF LAWRENCE, ss.	

I, M. F. Conley, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of March, 1917.
My commission expires Jan. 12, 1918.
AL. CARTER,
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
AUGUSTUS SNYDER,
L. H. YORK,
ROBERT DIXON,
Directors.

Mr. and Mrs. McGranahan, of Borderland, were visiting relatives at Nolan Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Ratliff spent a few days with Mrs. Ventrals last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Roskey give the boys and girls of this place a party Saturday night. They all enjoyed it very much.

Miss Verna Caudill of Kenova, W. Va., has been visiting relatives in this place a few days.

Mrs. Adams and son were in West Virginia Monday morning.

Mrs. Davis, who has been visiting her mother at Kernit, has returned.

Mrs. Leach was calling on Mrs. Lookenood one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams spent Easter Sunday with Mrs. New at No. 2 Borderland.

Mrs. Nowlin, who has been very ill at her home is improving now.

Miss Lora Black and friend of Williamson were visiting her sister, Mrs. Myers Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Lambert and daughter were shopping in Williamson one day last week.

Mrs. Pinson is visiting relatives at Wolf creek.

BROWN EYES.

LOWMANVILLE.

Lyss Hannah and Jeff Castle of Ashland were here last week on business.

Mrs. Clara Chandler visited relatives in Ashland last week.

S. M. Chandler made a business trip to Paintsville last Saturday.

S. F. Hannah was in Ashland last week.

Miss Effie Chandler, who is staying at Van Lear, visited home folks at this place Saturday and Sunday.

Jeff Chandler has bought out Allen Athington's merchandising business at this place.

James Kirk and wife of Beaver visited Mrs. Kirk's parents here last week.

Fred Grim and Allen Athington have gone to Omar, W. Va., to work.

JAKE.

PLANS BEING MADE FOR

"SUNDAY-SCHOOL DAY."

Kentucky's fourth "Go-to-Sunday-school day" will be May 6, and plans are under way to pass the attendance mark of former years. The day is set aside by the Kentucky Sunday-school Association, and when first inaugurated the slogan was "Get one million persons in Kentucky to attend."

This year, however, the attendance is expected to be above that number. The plan met with approval of President Wilson, who each year has issued a special statement in regard to the day. Sunday-school heads are working hard to stimulate the attendance on Sunday-school day.

To the Farmers of
Eastern Kentucky
and West Virginia

For months we have been making inquiries for Cane seed best adapted to this climate. We have located two grades adapted to this climate and will have these seed for distribution in a week. If you will want cane seed write or call on us and we will give you full particulars. The seed we have are early and good producers.

If you have never planted cane before, why not plant this year. We are working overtime producing a market for SORGHUM and we hope by fall to be able to place the entire crop where it will bring the best price and prevent an over production. We are as anxious as you to create a market for BIG SANDY SORGHUM, which will give the farmer sufficient compensation to warrant heavy production.

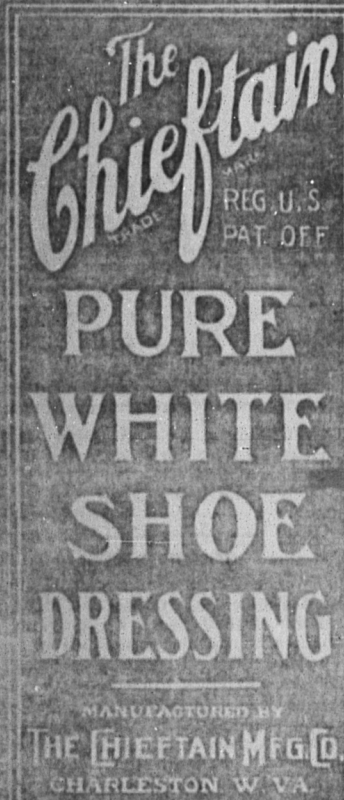
We will have agencies established at all railway points on all railways in the producing section. We will make it as convenient for the Farmers as possible. There will be no danger of overproduction. If you fear this, contract with us now. A contract will guarantee you the price, regardless of business conditions, and you will know in advance the price you will get.

We will have sufficient barrels for this purpose but they will be furnished to contractors first. The first people in will be the first served.

The seed we have are better producers than ever introduced before. Plant a crop this year if you have never done so before and arrange with us for its disposition and we will treat you right.

If you want seed come at once.

The Lobaco Co.



Chunky's
Gift to
You

A Full-Size
Package Of

CHIEFTAIN
PURE WHITE SHOE DRESSING

FREE with each 10c purchase of Chieftain Polish in exchange for coupon below.

We want to buy for you a full-size package of Chieftain Pure White. We know that when you see how beautifully it restores the snowy whiteness of your shoes—how every stain disappears—how quickly it dries, how the white does not rub off like other dressings, you will continue to use Chieftain Pure White as long as you own white shoes.

That is why we are pleased to buy and present to you your first bottle.

Our offer is this: For one week, the coupon below entitles you to a free, full-size 10c package of Chieftain Pure White with every 10c purchase of Chieftain Polish.

Everybody knows that Chieftain Polish is the best that ever went onto a shoe. Every family needs a box of Chieftain Polish. So instead of buying it next week or the week after, be sure to get it this week and receive as a gift a big full-size 10c package of Chieftain Pure White.

Your dealer knows all about this offer and has your Gift Package all ready. Just lay down your dime and the coupon below and he will wrap up the two packages—a box of Chieftain Polish and a package of Chieftain Pure White—20c worth for a dime.

Your dealer is glad to do this for we pay him his full retail price for every package he gives away; moreover, he knows that every gift package means a steady customer for Chieftain Pure White.

Better tear off the coupon now, before you forget it, wrap it about a dime, and slip it into your change purse where you can't miss it.

Remember—this offer is good for one week only. Better cash in today, for all the gift packages may be given away if you wait too long.

Accept Chunky Chieftain's gift and get acquainted with the finest white dressing in the world.

CHIEFTAIN MANUFACTURING COMPANY

Charleston, W. Va.

CUT OUT THIS ENTIRE COUPON



Come on people—Tear off this coupon!
CHUNKY CHIEFTAIN

This coupon is good for one full-sized 10c package of Chieftain Pure White with each 10c purchase of Chieftain Polish. Fill out the blanks and present to your dealer with 10c and receive a box of Chieftain Polish and a package of Chieftain Pure White.

These blanks to be signed by the person receiving gift package.

Name.....

Street Address.....

City.....

This blank to be countersigned by the dealer.

Name.....

To the dealer: Send all redeemed coupons to the jobber from whom you buy Chieftain. He will credit you 10c for each one.

BIG SANDY NEWS.

Entered at the postoffice at Louisa, Ky., as second-class matter.

Published every Friday by
M. F. CONLEY,
Editor and Proprietor.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES.
One Dollar per year.
60 cents for Six Months.
35 cents for Three Months.
Cash in Advance.

Friday, April 20, 1917.

Plant more gardens than ever.

The wheat crop is estimated at only 65 per cent of the normal production.

Farmers, serve your country well by growing more food stuff than ever before. Put in an acre or two more than you have intended to cultivate.

Congress has passed the bill appropriating seven billions of dollars for war credits for the Allies and for our own direct uses.

Army officers are to be withdrawn from military schools and colleges, according to announcement by the War Department yesterday.

Quite a number of young men have left the State University of Kentucky to enter some branch of the service in response to the call of the United States.

The Lexington Herald has issued a "Housewarming and Eastern Kentucky edition" covering 174 pages. It is a great number and is worthy of the praise it is receiving.

The French and British continue their drives and are rapidly pushing the Germans back, capturing important posts all along the western line. 30,000 Germans were killed, wounded and captured in two days this week.

White House employees have secured permission from the Department of Justice to plant a garden on a half acre of vacant land in the downtown section of Washington. The President probably will participate in the formal breaking of ground Thursday or Friday.

The government announces that volunteers who join the army or navy under the present call will be permitted to end their service with the end of the war. This will increase the number of volunteers, as there are thousands of men who do not want to be bound for service longer than the war lasts.

Theodore Roosevelt in letters to the chairman of the Congressional Military Affairs Committee heartily endorsed the Administration's compulsory service programme, but urged the necessity of organizing a force of volunteers to take their places on the firing line within four months. Col. Roosevelt would raise and command one division of this force.

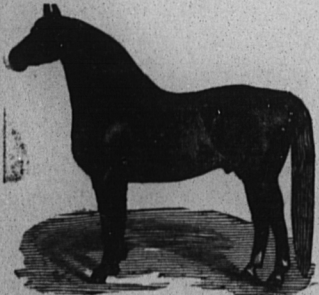
A good work is to be done by the New York World in getting into Germany the President's great address on the opening of Congress.

This has never been permitted to reach the German people and has been published in the German papers in only a garbled form. The World, in conjunction with the French authorities, through the medium of the French Aviation Corps, will send forth swarms of aeroplanes to drop over Germany hundreds of thousands of copies of the address printed in the German language.

WASTED WORK ON ROADS.
We have often called attention to one of the worst practices our people have in the matter of filling mud holes in roads. Almost invariably, it seems, the road workers and overseers dump dry dirt into a hole without first draining it. The result is wasted energy. A hole in the road, standing full or partially full of water can not be repaired except by litching enough to first let the water out. Otherwise the dirt dumped into the water makes more mud, and the vehicles that come along go to the bottom and carry out on the wheels a lot of the newly formed mud. This happens a few times and the hole is still there, ready to catch the next rain and impede traffic. A little intelligence is a good thing to use right along in the everyday affairs of life, even in treating a mud hole.

U. S. TO PUT GERMANS TO WORK ON FARMS.

Washington, April 13.—Use of the crews taken from the German merchant ships in American harbors for farming and other work has been determined upon by the Government. At present the men are detained in immigration stations and the ships are in custody of the Treasury Department.



Horses For Sale

12 good native bred horses, mares and mules, ranging from 3 to 12 years. Among these horses are some fine saddlers and drivers, some good all-purposes horses, and good plug workers.

Will trade for other stock, good notes or cash.

WEBB HOLT
Busseyville, Ky.

The Department of Labor, which has the crews in charge, is conducting an investigation as to the best places to put the men and the work to entrust to them. As alien enemies they are not enlisted to admission to the United States except under conditions imposed by the Government.

Crews of ships taken in charge by the Government in harbors of continental United States, Porto Rico and Hawaii total 1,866. Some of them are from Austrian ships and a few are women and children. Nothing will be done with the Austrians for the present.

Under international law the Government has the right to put the crews at work not strictly military. When they are removed from the immigration stations they will continue under the authority of the labor department.

SORGHUM A VALUABLE CROP.

Sorghum as a farm crop has been generally underestimated. Corn is frequently grown and used under conditions wherein sorghum would be a much more valuable crop. The department of farm crops of the College of Agriculture is of the opinion that a more general use of sorghum is hindered by a lack of information concerning the crop, by the fact that under certain very exceptional conditions sorghum becomes poisonous to stock, and by the opinion that the crop is hard on land. The last two hinderances are by no means serious.

Aside from its special use for syrup, sorghum owes its value as a general farm crop to three outstanding characteristics of the plant. In the first place, the sorghum plant, pound for pound, is nearly as valuable for feeding as corn. Again, under conditions favorable for the growth of corn, sorghum will outyield corn as forage (including ensilage) and will compare favorably with corn in yield of grain. Finally the ability of sorghum to withstand adverse conditions especially drouth, makes the crop an extremely reliable one for the production of feed.—State Bulletin.

NOTICE.

During the month of April we will contract with farmers for their entire crop of Sorghum at thirty-five cents per gallon. All contracts which we have signed with farmers have been withdrawn and the above prices applies provided you send your contracts to us for new ones.

Plant cane and arrange with us for its distribution. We have placed contracts for all we can secure at the above prices. This is as good a price as the farmers should expect and we trust that if you are not able to get to Louisa to see us that you will write us to forward contracts to you by mail signed.

Remember barrels will be scarce and the farmers contracting will be furnished barrels first.

THE LOBACO COMPANY.

BLAKE IS COLONEL OF AUTO REGIMENT.

Huntington Herald says:—E. E. Blake an attorney, and former newspaperman, of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, is a visitor in Huntington, and he told in an interesting way of movement of Oklahoma troops by automobiles. In that country railway trains are not so plentiful as they are in the east, and in moving the Oklahoma regiment to mobilization points, Mr. Blake organized a regiment of eleven hundred automobiles. He was "colonel" of the regiment, and the machines were used to transport the troops. Instead of organizing the automobiles as a military outfit, it is planned to group them under titles, Mr. Blake said.

People of Oklahoma strongly support the President in the international crisis, Mr. Blake said. He was born and raised near Gallipolis, O.

IT MUST BE TRUE

LOUISA READERS MUST COME TO THAT CONCLUSION.

It is not the telling of a single case in Louisa, but a number of citizens testify. Endorsement by people you know bears the stamp of truth. The following is one of the public statements made in this locality about Doan's Kidney Pills:

E. Miller, Lock Ave., Louisa, says: "About four years ago I was suffering with kidney complaint. My back was a dull, constant ache and was weak and lame. I suffered from rheumatic twinges also and as I often heard of Doan's Kidney Pills, I used some. They promptly relieved me of the complaint, and I consider Doan's Kidney Pills a fine medicine for kidney ailments."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Miller had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

GUARDS AT LOCK AND DAM.

R. S. Chaffin, H. C. Sammons and one of the lock tenders are on duty at the Louisa lock and dam, as guards, in eight hour shifts.

HENTSCHER SENTENCED.

H. K. Hentschel, the piano tuner arrested at Catlettsburg as a German spy, has been sentenced to confinement until the close of the war, so we are informed.

"I DIDN'T THINK" IS A POOR EXCUSE, SAYS ARNOLD BENNETT.

In the April Woman's Home Companion Arnold Bennett has an article entitled "The Dull Man is a Bad Man." In it he says:

"You may say that the dull man sins by want of thought rather than with intention, unconsciously rather than consciously. Perhaps. But that does not lessen the evil he causes. If I get out of an automobile, and carelessly bang the door of it behind me and catch your finger in the door (you having remained in the car,) and leave it caught there, your agony won't be less acute because I, through not looking behind me either before or after I banged the door, am unaware of it. Nor will your resentment against me be any the less, either."

"Simply, to say 'I never realized' is not an entirely satisfactory excuse. People ought to realize. The habit of not realizing grows faster than almost any other habit, and it is very comfortable, and it saves a lot of trouble—

to one's self. But it is to be condemned.

"Yet if a man is absolutely dull, if he is utterly without imagination, how can he realize, how can he put himself in the other man's place? Is he not to be pitied instead of anathematized?"

"As to that, I will tell you something: There is no such person as the absolutely dull man, the man absolutely without imagination. Everybody has some gift of imagination; everybody can succeed in putting himself, to a certain extent, in the other man's place. And few people, if any, perform this feat as often or as completely as they might do."

RECRUITING OFFICER AT LOUISA.

HELLIER, KY., April 15.—(Spec.)—Howard Ingram, recruiting officer of the United States army left here this morning for Louisa where he expects to procure recruits. Hellier has shown its patriotism at its height. About twenty boys enlisted for service in Hellier, which is a record. Practically all the business houses here are showing their loyalty by displaying the American flag. Will Louisa equal Hellier's record?

FREE SEEDS.

Senator Beckham has sent to the Big Sandy News for free distribution some flower seeds; and also some packets of garden seeds containing the following: Collards, cucumber, lettuce, okra and turnip.

M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. W. H. Davenport, District Superintendent of the Ashland District, was in Louisa and preached last Sunday night at the M. E. Church. Rev. Davenport was a former pastor here and is an able speaker.

BLIND ORGANIZE.

Newport, Ky., April 14.—Blind persons of Kentucky will appeal to the General Assembly to pass a blind pension bill similar to the one in force in Ohio. An organization of blind men known as the Kentucky Progressive Association, was formed here to-day with Edwin Neal, of Dayton, president and the Rev. Carl Scheben, secretary. It was stated that there are more than 2,000 blind persons in Kentucky.

HONEST PACKED.

Fruits and vegetables. Those wanting us to do their canning for next season, send in your order at once. Prices reasonable. W. M. P. DELONG, Madge, Ky. 4-20-21.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

R. W. Jacobs, merchant, was found dead, hanging to a bed post in his room last Friday, at Olive Hill.

A PATRIOTIC TOWN.

Globe, Ariz., April 13.—An American flag must fly from every business house, store front and vehicle in Globe as a result of an ordinance passed by the City Council last night. A fine of \$200 or two hundred days in jail is to be the penalty for the first offense against the ordinance. Business concerns will lose their city license for the second offense according to the ordinance.

WILL PLACE KEHOE ON RETIRED LIST.

Representative Fields will try to secure House approval of the Senate's action placing William Harold Kehoe of Maysville, on the retired list, with the rank of second lieutenant. Senator James succeeded in having an amendment to this effect added to the bill in the Senate. Young Kehoe, son of former Representative Kehoe, of Maysville, is a victim of tuberculosis, which has prevented his continuing his service in the army.

The ANDERSON-NEWCOMB CO.

"Huntington's Ideal Home-like"

Department Store

A store whose business is built upon the foundation of trustworthy merchandise, genteel courtesy and honest advertising.

We believe we are successful only insofar as we are able to be of SERVICE to our ever-growing clientele, the people of Huntington and the Tri-State region.

We believe in handling only merchandise of quality; we endeavor to carry merchandise suitable to the needs of everyone, but quality is the first consideration in our selections, and whatever the price you will find merchandise of corresponding value.

We believe in an honest presentation of our wares in every phase. It is the policy of our store, our saleswomen and salesmen we want your confidence, and we take great pride in the fact that our clientele have explicit faith in the truthfulness of the statements made by us about our wares in our daily selling and advertising.

We believe in extending credit for a legitimate time to our worthy and reliable clientele, an act of service and kindness we are glad to give, a privilege that we as a business concern have extended to us.

We believe in cheerfully refunding money for merchandise returned, for any reasonable or just cause.

We want everyone to feel at home in our store, we want to become personally acquainted with you, we want you to feel at liberty at any time to ask to see and be shown our wares, whether you buy or not, it is our pleasure to show you.

From interested and friendly clientele we are glad to receive helpful criticism and friendly suggestions.

The Anderson-Newcomb Co.

On Third Avenue Huntington, W. Va.

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BILLY SUNDAY WILL GIVE ALL TO WAR.

Bill Sunday told the people of New York last Sunday: "I shall not take a dollar from New York. I want you—not your money. Every cent that you give me personally, every cent that New York gives me to keep I shall divide equally between

the Y. M. C. A. working among the soldiers and the American Red Cross after I have deducted my actual expenses. And I shall give you an itemized account of this money."

OBEY THE LAW.

Keep Your Mouths Shut and Have No Fear, Bolin Tells Germans.

United States District Attorney Stuart R. Bolin, of Columbus, O., authorized the publication of the following statement relative to alien Germans in his Federal judicial district:

"No German alien enemy in this country, who hitherto has not been implicated in plots against the interests of the United States, need have any

fear of action by the Department of Justice as long as he observes the following warning: "Obey the law; keep your mouth shut."

CONDIMENTAL.

Douglas Jerrold once went to a party at which a Mr. Pepper had assembled all his friends and on entering the room said to his host, "My dear Mr. Pepper, how glad you must be to see all your friends mustered!"

The one-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sowards, of Toms creek, near Barboursville, was scalded Sunday morning when the contents of kettle of boiling water poured over its body when the kettle overturned. It is believed the child cannot recover.

NEW SPRING STYLES JUST IN

We have on display in our store, and more coming every few days, the latest styles in millinery goods. Ready-to-wear hats both in Ladies and Children styles. These are 1917 styles only. We also have a competent trimmer who can change or make a hat to your own taste on short notice.

Come and see for your self.

PRICES REASONABLE

New spring dry goods are coming in. All kinds of fine silks, crepe de chine and many other different assortments of fine dress goods. The non Rustable corsets. Fine lace, embroideries, nettings and all kinds of window curtain.. Goods from 10c up. Spring and Summer underwear.



SHOES FOR ALL THE FAMILY AT THE OLD PRICE. . SAVE THE DIFFERENCE

We carry a full and fresh line of good things to eat in our grocery department. Bring us your hams, eggs and butter.

A. L. Burton

LOUISA,

KENTUCKY

American Lady SHOES



Bargains in Trunks

We have some of the biggest bargains in trunks that you will find anywhere. If you need one do not miss this opportunity.

Millinery in Latest Styles at Low Prices

Handsome Line of Men's Shirts and ties

W. H. Adams, Louisa, Ky.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Daisy Ray, of Inez, is in Louisa.

T. Riffe was in from East Fork Sunday.

J. C. Bussey was in from Busseyville Tuesday.

J. P. McClure, of Gallup, was in Louisa Monday.

E. W. Kirk spent Sunday with his family at Inez.

A. J. Loar was here from Huntington Wednesday.

Andy New, Jr., returned Monday to Chattahoochee, W. Va.

Rev. W. A. Gaugh was a visitor in Ashland Wednesday.

Judge Billie Riffe was a business visitor in Ashland Monday.

Prof. J. B. McClure was down from Chattahoochee, W. Va., Sunday.

Miss Vivian Hays left Tuesday for a visit to friends in Covington.

Miss Ruby Holly has returned from a visit in New Richmond, Ohio.

Mrs. R. L. Vinson has gone to Huntington and Louisville for a visit.

M. B. Miller, of Torchlight, was a visitor in Louisa last Thursday.

Mrs. B. J. Chaffin and Miss Lou Chaffin were in Ashland last Friday.

Mrs. Alice Frasher has returned from a visit to relatives at Lucasville, O.

Lindsey Lester, of Ashland, was a business visitor in Louisa Monday.

C. W. Wilson, of Indiana, Pa., was a business visitor in Louisa this week.

Mrs. Arthur Hardwick, of Ceredo, W. Va., has been visiting Ft. Gay relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory E. Wheeler and baby, of Osie, were in Louisa Wednesday.

Mrs. Burnam Roberts was in Louisa Tuesday and called at the NEWS office.

Paul Copley, of Ashland, was the guest of Louisa relatives and friends Sunday.

Mrs. H. E. Frye and son, John, of Marietta, Ohio, are here for a visit to Capt. Frye.

Mr. A. O. Carter and daughter, Miss Helen, were visitors in Ironton, Ohio, Wednesday.

Wm. Burgess and Marion Cochran, of near Torchlight, called at the NEWS office Monday.

Misses Marie Roberts and Elizabeth Woods and Mr. Rowland Horton spent Sunday with friends at Zella.

Mr. and Mrs. K. F. Vinson went to Ceredo, W. Va., Wednesday to visit their daughter, Mrs. J. O. Marcum.

Emily Crutcher has been spending a few days in Huntington, W. Va., the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Alley.

Mrs. John B. Vaughan and daughter, Gary Borders, have returned from a visit to relatives in Huntington, W. Va.

Miss Ruth L. Conley came down from West Van Lear Tuesday and has taken a position in the Singer Machine office.

Mrs. Jas. Weeks returned last Thursday to her home in Hinton, West Va., after a short visit to her sister, Mrs. G. M. Guerin.

Mrs. H. C. Corns left Saturday for her home in Huntington after a few weeks visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Lackey.

Mrs. Josephine Rice, who has been bookkeeper in the Singer Machine office at Gassaway, W. Va., for some time is visiting in Louisa.

Zeb Heston, Sr., of Portsmouth, and Tom Page, of Ashland, were here Sunday to attend the funeral of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Page.

A. D. Bradley, of Kenova, W. Va., was in Louisa Monday returning from Yatesville where he had been visiting his mother. This is his first visit to Louisa since last June.

BLAINE.

Chilt Holbrook was here Tuesday calling on the merchants.

We are sorry to say Mrs. Laura Roberts continues very sick.

School at this place will close Thursday. Everybody seems to be well pleased with the term taught and hope Mr. Osborn can be with us again next year.

A. J. Mounts has declined the idea of moving to Louisa, for awhile, anyway, and has moved into the Nan Boggs property. Bud Swetnam will soon occupy the house vacated by Mounts.

Meredith Osborn has moved to Lindsey Wellman's farm down on Blaine.

Wayne Osborn also bought the Ed Hubbard house and lot adjoining his farm.

Mrs. John Evans was here Saturday to see Mrs. Laura Roberts.

H. F. Williams, wife and little daughter were here Sunday visiting their daughter, Mrs. H. C. Osborn.

Roscoe Wellman and wife spent Saturday and Sunday here.

Hubert Smith of the K. N. C. is spending a few days with home folks.

Mrs. H. H. Gambill and Miss Gladys Gambill were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mont Ward Tuesday afternoon.

SNOOKY OOKUMS.

WALBRIDGE.

Miss Elsie Peters of Huntington is visiting Miss Jessie Peters.

Miss Marie Holt left Friday for a visit to Sciotoville.

Miss Fannie See visited Louisa relatives last week.

Mrs. A. C. Ferrell and four sons returned Friday from a visit to Pike County relatives.

Rev. Griswold filled his appointment here Saturday and Sunday night. His son, Ralph, delivered an interesting sermon on "The Second Coming of Christ," Sunday morning.

Charles Ferrell left Monday for Sciotoville.

Mrs. Alex Stump was shopping in Louisa last week.

Earle Brown of Louisa was here Monday.

Mr. Frashure, who is attending school at Huntington visited his mother, Mrs. Hardin, Saturday and Sunday.

Those on the sick list are Mr. Mont York, typhoid; Mrs. Millard Webb and two children, Thelma and Oscar, typhoid; and Miss Lillie Bowe, pneumonia.

Mrs. Graham, who is suffering with a broken hip, seems to be improving some.

MRS. TRUE.

Deardorff-Sisler Co.

424-34 Ninth Street

Huntington, W. Va.

HUNTINGTON'S STYLE CENTER AND LARGEST DEPT STORE



Our Millinery Salons are Noted for the Exquisite Creations they turn out--

A SMART CHAPEAUX MAY BE HAD AS LOW AS \$5.00. AN AMERICAN OR IMPORTED PATTERN HAT AT ANY PRICE UP TO \$100.00. BUT WHATEVER YOU PAY YOU MAY BE ASSURED OF ONE FACT.

That New York Exclusive Shops are not displaying more Exclusive models.

OUR MILLINERY SALONS ARE IN CHARGE OF AN EXPERT THEY ARE PART OF OUR OWN STORE INSTEAD OF BEING CONTROLLED BY OUTSIDE INTERESTS AS MANY ARE. EVERY HAT IS OF THE LATEST IDEAS AT THE TIME OF ITS CREATION NONE CAN BE DUPLICATED ELSEWHERE AT \$5.00 AND AS MUCH MORE AS YOU WISH TO PAY.

Millinery Salons—Second Floor.

DEARDORFF-SISLER CO.

HUNTINGTON,

W. VA.

WAR NOTES

The French troops in the Department of the Aisne and the Marine have delivered a violent infantry attack against the Germans over a front of twenty-five miles, and made important gains of terrain, and captured more than 10,000 prisoners and large quantities of war material.

The battle took place between Solissons and Rheims, and over a distance of eighteen and one half miles. From Solissons to Craonne the entire German first-line positions fell into the hands of Gen. Nivelle's forces, while east of Craonne a second-line German position south of Juvin-court and another position on the outskirts of Bermericourt running along the Aisne Canal to Loivre and Courcy also were captured.

Violent counter attacks delivered by the Germans on several sectors were repulsed with heavy casualties to the attackers.

Up to the time that the rainstorms began Monday afternoon the British had captured from the Germans the village of Villeret, southeast of Hargicourt and eight miles from St. Quentin, and also had made additional progress northwest of Lens. During the week that the British offensive has been going on Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig's forces have made prisoners of 14,000 German and captured 194 guns and large quantities of war stores.

Tentative votes in the House Military Committee yesterday disclosed a majority in favor of making provision for volunteers in the war army plans which as drawn by the General Staff and approved by President Wilson, are based entirely upon the selective draft system.

Various methods of raising and organizing the great fighting force for which the President asks have been advanced by members opposing immediate application of the draft, ranging from a proposal to eliminate the draft provision entirely to Chairman Dent's scheme to authorize a call for 500,000 volunteers and authorize the President to resort to the draft if the volunteers do not come forward in a reasonable time.

The Administration is standing squarely upon the General Staff's unanimous opinion that the volunteer system can have no place, beyond the enlistments in the regulars or National Guard, in the raising and training of the army needed.

Anything and everything in the way of small craft, from destroyers to tugs, would be the most useful contribution that the United States could make to the war against submarines, in the opinion of Sir John Jellicoe, First Sea Lord of the British navy. It is his opinion that the best hunting ground for submarines is on the British coast, as the possibility of operating on the American coast is almost negligible, unless they have a base on this side.

The Admiral is concerned about the things American inventive genius will contribute to the naval warfare under the new conditions imposed by submarines.

All persons in the United States, citizens and aliens, are warned in a proclamation issued by President Wilson that treasonable acts or attempts to shield those committing such acts will be vigorously prosecuted by the Government. Declaration is made that all resident aliens as well as citizens owe allegiance to the United States, and therefore, are equally subject to the laws against treason and like crimes.

GRADY WEBB IS RECAPTURED. H. Grady Webb was recaptured at

Baden, N. C.

Such was the substance of a telegram from U. S. Marshal Smith, from Clarksburg. No details were given in the message. The only thing known is that the notorious train robber was recaptured in the same state in which he made his sensational getaway on April 4, so that he could not have gotten so very far from the scene of that bold escape, which was the town of Charlotte.

Webb seized an unguarded moment when the handcuffs that had bound him to his fellow prisoner, Eugene Dies, were off, and made his escape through a car window.

WITH A SPRIG OF SHAMROCK

There's a little bit of Ireland
In your roguish eyes of blue,
There's a fist full of her sunshine
In the burnished locks of you.

The lakes that dimple all the land
Of that unhappy isle
Are but mirrors sending heaven
Reflections of your smile.

Your voice so velvet lazy
Brings memories back to me
Of the silver bells of Shandon
Across the river Lee.

There's a beaker full of blarney
That sparkles on your lips;
Sure it could not be a mortal sin
Such nectar rare to sip!

The torches in your flaming cheeks
Their scarlet banners sway;
Across the moors their signals light
The fairies on their way.

By all the meads of Mallow,
From Limerick to the sea,
From every greening, winding path
The shamrock calls to me.

Dear emblem of my mother's land,
The sorrows you have seen
Make crimson all of Erin's shores
When they should laugh with green.

But I will count one happy day
A little more than blest,
Because this sprig of shamrock
Lived to die upon your breast.

—Daniel E. O'Sullivan.
St. Patrick's Day, 1917.

(The above beautiful poem was published in the Louisville Post on St. Patrick's Day. Mr. O'Sullivan was Chairman of the Kentucky Prison Commission during Gov. McCreary's administration. He was prominent in newspaper circles until he gave up the work for the practice of law. The literary spirit moves him occasionally to produce some choice bit of poetry or prose. A glance at his name is enough to explain why he is thus moved by St. Patrick's Day. We are a little late in printing the poem, but it is worth while even now.—Ed.)

PREACH THE "GOSPEL" OF PLANTING, SAYS STEWART.

Charleston, W. Va., April 14.—Commissioner of Agriculture James H. Stewart, reciting that the supply of food is less in America than at any time since the Civil war, has enlisted the aid of the teachers and preachers of West Virginia in a movement to have bumper crops in the state during the coming agricultural season. Writing to all preachers, he declares that it is obligatory that the people of West Virginia, like Joseph of old, should lay up stores for the lean years to come. In his letter to the teachers, which is endorsed by State Superintendent of Schools M. P. Shawkey, the commissioner asks them to enlist the aid of the school children of the state in the movement to stimulate every family to produce an abundant store of edibles. His injunction to every minister and preacher in West Virginia is to "preach and teach" the "gospel of larger production to offset the food shortage."

BIG SANDY NEWS.

Friday, April 20, 1917.



Let's Wife.

His friends heard poor Lot blubber:
"It was my wife's own fault.
For she first turned to rubber,
And then she turned to salt."
—Luke McLuke.

Good Bargains in floor Rugs at Burton's Store 3-2

J. P. Gartin has bought Wm. Clarke's automobile.

Call for the Famous Lord Calvert Coffee at A. L. Burtons 3-2

W. T. Cain has bought an automobile from M. G. Berry.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. S. Jay Vinson, of Ferguson, W. Va., a son.

Go to Justice's store for the latest Spring Styles in all lines.

Miss Emma Delong, of Madge, was the guest Tuesday of Mrs. M.H. Johns.

W. W. See and family will move from Maple-st. to the W. F. Wilson property.

Hats! Hats! Ladies and Misses Hats at your own price at Justice's Store.

Dave Holly and family have moved from New Richmond, Ohio, to Ft. Pleasant, W. Va.

W. L. Thompson, of Whitehouse, Ky., is building a nice residence on his lot in Winchester.

Rowland Horton has returned from Toledo, Ohio, where he had been since the first of the year.

Robt. Hartman and son-in-law Walter Cain have bought a new Ford car from the Snyder agency.

Jay N. Compton, a Lawrence county teacher, has gone to Akron, O., where he has accepted a position.

Forrest Sammons and family moved this week to Portsmouth, O., where he has accepted a position.

Charley Moore and family have moved into the house on Maple-st., vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rule.

The Juvenile Missionary Society will meet with Anna Mary Miller on Saturday afternoon at two o'clock.

FOR SALE:—One good fresh milk cow. MRS. REBECCA PETERS, Louisa, Ky. Lower Two Mile. 4-27.

A third of the telephone operators become brides before they have worked five months, company statistics show.

WANTED TO BUY:—Best market price for Buckeye or Bally Beans Potatoes and sets. Mail price and sample. GERMANIA SEED CO., Iron-ton, Ohio. pd.-21.

A trained nurse arrived from Ashland to take charge of the case of Mrs. John P. Gartin, who has typhoid. Her condition is very satisfactory.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Lawrence have moved into the rooms recently vacated by Mrs. W. N. Sullivan, in the Garred building on Main Cross-st.

Spring apparel at Justice's. Coats, suits, one piece dresses, hats, shoes, skirts, waists—a complete line of spring apparel arriving each week.

Presiding Elder A. A. Hollister preached at the M. E. Church South, Louisa, Wednesday night and held quarterly conference afterward.

Mr. J. M. Mounts, of Vienna, Va., who recently purchased the J. P. Gartin property on Madison-st., is in Louisa. He expects to have a new house built on the lot soon.

Funeral services for the late Edmund R. Osborne, president of the Osborne company, the largest manufacturers of calendars in the world were held Monday at Montclair, N. J.

Prof. J. Richard Johnson, a native of Louisa, but now a citizen of Richmond, Ky., has announced his candidacy for the Legislature on the Democratic ticket. Madison county is the district. He is of the high type needed in our Legislative body.

Mrs. B. F. Thomas, of Cincinnati and Mrs. Jas. H. McConnell returned to Catlettsburg last Friday evening, after spending the day with their sister, Mrs. J. Q. Lackey at her home on Lock avenue.

Elizabeth, little daughter of Mrs. W. V. Roberts, of Cadmus, has been very sick with ear trouble, following a severe case of measles. She is in the Masonic Home in Louisville. She is improving.

Atkins & Vaughan have been maintaining an attractive window display in their store for some time, showing patriotic features and goods. They change it occasionally, and it is attracting considerable attention.

Mrs. Emma Daniel, 24, who died at her home in Huntington, W. Va., was taken to her old home in Wayne-co. for burial. She was the daughter of J. R. Campbell and is survived by her father and husband.

C. J. Carey, who has had charge of contract work at Maysville for the Carey-Reed company of Lexington, has been transferred to Lexington. Mrs. Carey has returned to Louisa to spend some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Abbott, before going to Lexington.

Mrs. Victoria Williamson, who has been in this city with her son, Mr. H. T. Williamson, during her recent indisposition, we are pleased to know is out automobiling in the fresh air. Her numerous friends will be glad to learn of her improvement.—Williamson, W. Va., News.

FARM LOAN BANK.

The Farm Loan Bank at Louisville has sent to the Lawrence County Association about half the necessary amount of application blanks, with promise of more soon. These are being sent out in the order in which the applications came in. It will be only a short time until the local organization will be in good working order.

GARTIN BUYS LAND.

J. P. Gartin has purchased that portion of the Elsie farm known as the high bottom, lying near Louisa and just across Lick creek from the county road. Price \$5000. A bridge will be built across the creek and the tract will be divided into lots and placed on sale.

REDUCTION SALE

Several months ago, when it was evident that all merchandise would increase in price, we placed large orders at the old prices and these goods have been delivered to us, until our store is packed and jammed. Prices increased more than expected, but we are absolutely compelled to reduce our stock and we are in fine position to drop far below the market and save you much money. Our regular prices are very low, but we are cutting these heavily. For instance:

Clothing, bargain at \$20.00, reduced to \$16

Clothing, bargain at \$15.00, reduced to \$12

These are not just a few suits to bring you in, but we have the largest stock ever shown here.

Shoes:

Enormous line of shoes all at cut prices. The best Crosset Shoes included.

Furnishings:

This sale includes our entire line of Men's and Boys Furnishing Goods.

We will engage in the merchandising business at another place within a few months, which is another reason for forcing down our stock here.

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LOUISA, KENTUCKY

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THE UNIVERSAL CAR

Have been built and actually delivered to retail buyers since August 1, 1916. These figures—320,817—represent the actual number of cars manufactured by us since August 1st, 1916, and delivered by our agents to retail buyers. This unusual fall and winter demand for Ford cars makes it necessary for us to confine the distribution of cars only to those agents who have orders for immediate delivery to retail customers, rather than to permit any agent to stock cars in anticipation of later spring sales.

We are issuing this notice to intending buyers that they may protect themselves against delay or disappointment in securing Ford cars. If, therefore, you are planning to purchase a Ford car, we advise you to place your order and take delivery now.

IMMEDIATE ORDERS WILL HAVE PROMPT ATTENTION.

Delay in buying at this time may cause you to wait several months. Enter your order to-day for immediate delivery with our authorized Ford agent listed below and don't be disappointed later on.

PRICES:
Runabout \$345, Touring Car, \$360, Coupelet \$505
Town Car \$595, Sedan \$645, f. o. b. Detroit.

Augustus Snyder, LOUISA, Ky.

Agent for all of Lawrence county except a small portion on north side, and also agent for Fort Gay district, Wayne county, West Va.

again and with more enjoyment. Every kindness done to others in our daily walks advances us nearer those great souls which make the age they live in memorable.

Every man, every woman, every child has some talent, some power, some opportunity of getting good, and doing good. Each day offers some occasion for using this talent. As we use it it gradually increases, improves and becomes native to the character. As we neglect it it dwindles, withers, and disappears. This is the stern but benign law by which we live. This makes character real and enduring; this makes progress possible; this turns men into angels and virtue into goodness.

We have no desire to throw any bouquets at ourselves, but believe there is a lot of good in this department in our paper from week to week that is not benefitted and stimulated to better things. It encourages all that is good and discourages all that is evil. If you agree with us speak a good word and help us to place our paper in every home in the community.

Cheerfulness is a gospel that every woman should possess; it is worth more than creed or dogma. Ask the man who fights the hard battles of life what it means to go home to a cheerful wife. Cheerfulness is a jewel either in prosperity or adversity. A low-spirited, fault-finding wife can kill the last bit of hope and enthusiasm remaining in a troubled heart, while the cheerful, hopeful one leads it to press on or to begin over again with a "heart for any fate."

An author is known by his writings—a mother by her daughter, a fool by his words, all men by their companions.

Marriage never seems so much a failure to a man as when something goes wrong at home that he can't possibly blame on his wife.

Happiness ought to be contagious and to make it so the good things of life must be shared. Not merely with our family but with our neighbors and acquaintances, our townsmen, and the strangers within our gates. We should use our blessings, not put them up in lavender leaves, or camphor balls to keep—scatter them broadcast, share them with others.

Usually if we postpone a worry for a day or two it will fail to keep its appointment.

CLIP THIS AND PIN ON WIFE'S DRESSER

Cincinnati man tells how to shrivel up corns or callouses so they lift off with fingers.

Ouch ! ! ! ! This kind of rough talk will be heard less here in town if people troubled with corns will follow the simple advice of this Cincinnati authority, who claims that a few drops of a drug called freezezone when applied to a tender, aching corn or hardened callous stops soreness at once, and soon the corn or callous dries up and lifts right off without pain.

He says freezezone dries immediately and never inflames or even irritates the surrounding skin. A full bottle of freezezone will cost very little at any drug store, but will positively remove every hard or soft corn or callous from one's feet. Millions of American women will welcome this announcement since the inauguration of the high heels. If your drugist doesn't have freezezone tell him to order a small bottle for you.

TAKE "CASCARETS" IF HEADACHY, BILIOUS AND CONSTIPATED

BEST FOR LIVER AND BOWELS, BAD BREATH, BAD COLDS, SOUR STOMACH.

Get a 10-cent box. Sick—headache, biliousness, coated tongue, head and nose clogged up with a cold—always trace this to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels—sour, gassy stomach. Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue, it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing headache. Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels. A Cascaret to-night will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your drugist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months.

JATTIE AND TUSCOLA.

Church at Baker Sunday was largely attended. Farmers are very busy plowing and sowing oats. Jim Vanhorne was calling on friends here Sunday.

Willard Lyons and Boston Hammonds attended church at Baker Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Thompson raised down our creek Sunday enroute to Louisa to visit their son E. S.

Dewey Thompson still makes his regular trips to Brammer Gap.

Mrs. Paris Webb and daughter were visiting Mrs. Lewis Thompson of Tuscola Saturday and Sunday.

Ward Womack, who has been at Portsmouth, for some time has returned home.

Misses Martha, Ruth and Eunice Thompson were shopping at Mrs. Nona Graham's one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Young and daughter, were visiting Milt Watson Saturday and Sunday.

Mary E. Prichard was calling on Virgie O. Jordan one day last week.

Mrs. May Stewart was calling on home folks at Jattie Sunday.

J. K. Woods was out looking over his farm recently.

Lee Justice was calling on home folks Saturday.

Miss Ruth Thompson was the guest of Miss Ethel Prichard Sunday.

Mrs. C. W. Rice and babies were calling on Mrs. Lee Hall Sunday.

Lowell Thompson was calling on friends at Jattie Sunday.

W. M. Brainard was calling on home folks recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Rice of Holden, W. Va., have been spending a few days with home folks.

There will be church at Jattie the fourth Sunday by Rev. Bowling. Everybody invited.

SMOKY VALLEY.

There will be preaching here next Sunday, April 22, by Revs. Rowe and Wellman. Everybody come. Prayer meeting every Saturday night, also.

Miss Bessie Muncy is calling on her grandmother this week.

Miss Irene Pickrell was the pleasant guest of Miss Laura Belle Carter of Little Blaine Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Marie Bradley was in Louisa Saturday.

Jeff Cyrus and sister, Dorothy, attended meeting at Mt. Pleasant Sunday.

Andy Shannon and B. Branham and Tug Fletcher attended Sunday school here Sunday.

Ethel Cyrus called on Oma Fletcher Sunday.

Misses Irene Pickrell and Martha Roberts called on Miss Violet Roberts of Little Blaine Thursday.

Miss Laura Wellman spent Saturday night with Miss May and Lena Diamond.

Prayer meeting was largely attended Saturday night.

Misses Sheldia and Osa Diamond and Paulie Diamond called on Bessie Muncy Wednesday night.

Fred Roberts of Fort Myers, Fla., visited home folks last week.

Sunday school at this place is progressing nicely with Mr. Lindsey Cyrus, Supt. Would be glad if we could urge more people to come out and help us.

TULIP.

WEST VIRGINIA ITEMS OF NEWS.

Williamsburg, Ky., April 11.—What is claimed to be the best gas well in Kentucky was struck on the Raina farm, one mile from Williamsburg, at 2 o'clock this morning. So far they have been unable to control the flow of gas. It is claimed the flow is 1,000,000 feet an hour.

Owingsville, Ky., April 12.—At Preston, four miles south of here, Ashton Thomas, a merchant, and Joe Schultz, had a pistol duel in which Thomas was severely wounded in the shoulder and Schultz in the left side, probably fatally. They quarrelled the night before and renewed it this morning. Schultz is a son of Assessor Perry Schultz.

The Postoffice Department has announced that the sheep of blank domestic money order forms for the use of the office at Harlan, which were reported to have been stolen a fortnight ago, have been recovered.

Pike, Perry and Rowan counties were among those on which the State Board of Equalization did not raise county assessments.

William A. Brown, 77 years old, a veteran of the Union army in the Civil War, died suddenly of heart failure Saturday at Olive Hill. He was formerly of Rowan-co., where he served many years as Justice of the Peace. He had made three requests concerning his funeral and burial; that "America" be

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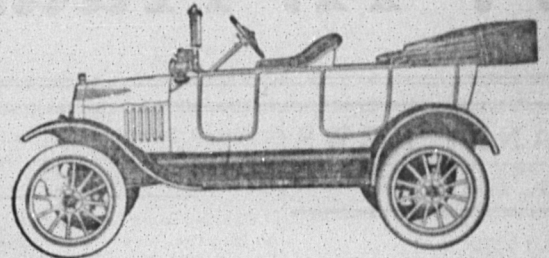
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There's nothing of guessing or speculation in regard to Ford cars. Their practical value is being daily demonstrated by more than 1,750,000 Ford owners representing every phase of human activity. Ford Service for Ford Owners is as universal and reliable as the car itself. Dependability and economy in car service. Better buy your Ford today—you want it and it will serve you every day, winter and summer. Touring Car \$360, Runabouts \$345, Coupelet \$505, Town Car \$595, Sedan \$645—f. o. b. Detroit. We solicit your order.

DR. J. C. HALL

ESTEP, KY.

Agent for part of north end of Lawrence Co.



HOME CIRCLE COLUMN

A COLUMN DEDICATED TO TIED MOTHERS AS THEY JOIN THE HOME CIRCLE AT EVENING TIDE.

The Man Who Laughs.

The man whose ha! ha! reaches from one end of the street to the other may be the same fellow who scolded his wife and spanked the baby before he got his breakfast, but his laughter is only the cradle of thorns under the pot. The man who spends his laughter through his life—before a late breakfast; when he misses the train, when his wife goes visiting and he has to eat a cold supper; the man who can laugh when he finds a button off his shirt, when the furnace gets out at night, and the twins come down with the measles at the same time—he's the fellow that's needed. He never tells his neighbor to have faith; somehow he puts faith into him. He delivers no homilies; somehow the sight of his face, the sound of his happy voice and the light of his blessed daily life, carry convictions that words have not power to give. The blues flee before him as the fog before the west wind. He comes into his own home like a flood of sunshine over a meadow of blooming buttercups, and his wife and children bloom like June roses. His home is redolent with sympathy and love. The neighborhood is better for his life, and somebody will learn from him that laughter is better

than tears. The world needs this man. Why are there so few of them? Can he be created? Can he be evolved? Why is he not in every house, turning rain into sunshine and winter into summer all the year around until life is a perpetual season of joy?

Isn't it remarkable when good books and papers are so cheap that men and women read so little and neglect the minds God has given them to improve? If we would make our homes and our home life pure, happy and elevating we must seek knowledge on the various topics that are daily discussed. Too many boys and girls grow up now that by the time they have entered their teens have cultivated such a taste for trashy, impure literature which is scattered broadcast over our land, that anything solid or that would improve their minds or character is considered dull and uninteresting.

There is a great deal said about making home attractive so the young people will not want to wander away from them; but it is a private opinion one hardly dares to express, that there is too much being done for young America in the well-to-do classes; they are coddled and humored and given places, while the parents take the rough ones, until the parlor has come to be looked upon as their orbit, while the mother "lives and moves and has her being" in the kitchen.

A beautiful writer has said: "If there be a pleasure on earth which angels cannot enjoy and which they might almost envy man the possession of, it is the power of relieving distress. Every kindly act we do but inclines us more and more toward such deeds, and we become readier to do the same."



DELCO-LIGHT MAKES ELECTRICITY UNIVERSAL

For the first time electric light and power are available to anyone—anywhere. Heretofore, the benefits of electricity have been confined to those who live in the larger towns and cities. Now Delco-Light makes electric current universally available.

Delco-Light is today furnishing thousands of farm-houses with brilliant, convenient, safe and economical light. It is furnishing power to operate pumps, washing machines, churns, cream separators, milking machines, vacuum cleaners, etc. It is lighting country churches, stores and public halls. It is furnishing light and power to summer homes and camps, to houseboats and yachts, etc.

It is lighting rural railway stations and construction camps. It is lighting the camps of United States troops on the Mexican border and it is disclosing heretofore undreamed-of beauties in the depths of Mammoth Cave, Kentucky.

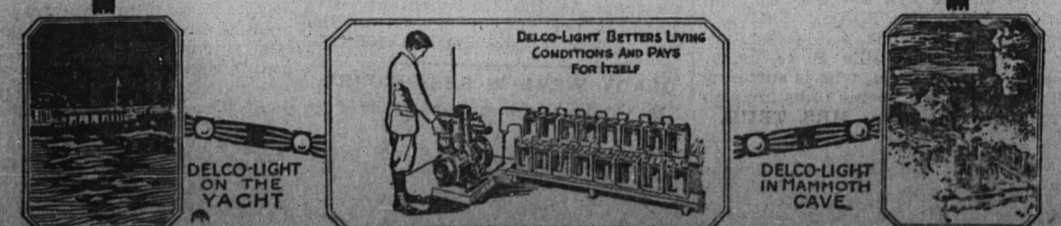
Altogether, over 15,000 Delco-Light plants are in operation, and Delco-Light offices are to be found in almost every part of the world.

Delco-Light is a complete electric plant—the engine and dynamo in one compact unit combined with a set of specially built and wonderfully efficient batteries for the storing of current. The plant is so simple a child can care for it, and so economical that it actually pays for itself in time and labor saved. It operates on either kerosene, gasoline or natural gas.

Price with standard size batteries.....\$275.00
Price with large size batteries.....\$325.00

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Sole Dealer for Lawrence, Johnson, Martin and a portion of Boyd county.



Shorthorn Cattle for Sale

We have a lot of bulls of the best of breeding suitable for heading herds. Also a number of farmers bulls priced from \$100.00 up. A few choice cows and heifers.

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Bloom Switch, -:- Ohio.

Opportunities

Opportunities for men of character are not hard to find. A bank account is an evidence of character and a bank book showing regular deposits is the passport to opportunity and the key to success. Enroll yourself as a depositor and become a member of the "Opportunity Club." Don't forget that the bank account is the first step toward success and fortune; protects your family in emergencies; educates your children; makes you independent; gives you a standing in the community; is a valuable aid in any enterprise undertaken anywhere by anybody, under any conditions.

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CORNER MAIN STREET, LOUISA, KENTUCKY

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Charles B. Peters
For County Court Clerk.

We are authorized to announce CHARLES B. PETERS, of Clifford, Ky., as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Democratic party in the primary election in August, 1917.

Lafe Walter
For County Judge

We are authorized to announce LAFE WALTER as candidate for County Judge of Lawrence county subject to the action of the Republican party at the next primary at which the candidates for this office are to be nominated.

Bascom Muncy
For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce BASCOM MUNCY, of Louisa, Ky., as a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Republican party in the next primary election at which candidates for sheriff are to be nominated.

William Taylor
For Sheriff.

WM. TAYLOR, of Glenwood, announces that he will be a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party in the next primary election at which candidates for Sheriff are to be nominated.

Dock Green
For County Court Clerk

We are authorized to announce DOCK GREEN, of Blaine, Ky., as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Republican party in the next primary at which candidates for County Court Clerk are to be nominated.

J. C. Short
For Jailer.

We are authorized to announce J. C. SHORT (better known as Tode) for Jailer of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary election of August, 1917. Your support is solicited.

Drew Adams
For County Court Clerk.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Clerk of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Republican party at the August primary of 1917, DREW ADAMS, Cherokee, Ky.

W. D. Shannon
For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce W. D. SHANNON as a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Democratic party in the August 1917 primary.

(This is William Shannon, who lives on Lick creek, four miles from Louisa, and is the son of former Sheriff Andy Shannon, deceased.)

Jim Sparks
For County Court Clerk.

We are authorized to announce JIM SPARKS, of Yatesville, as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Democratic party, in the primary election in August, 1917.

J. P. Williams
For Jailer.

We are authorized to announce J. P. WILLIAMS as a candidate for Jailer of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Republican party in the primary of August, 1917.

Martin L. Wright
For Assessor.

We are authorized to announce MARTIN L. WRIGHT, of Gladys, Twin Branch Precinct, as a candidate for Assessor of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Democratic party in the August, 1917 primary.

Thomas Murphy
For Jailer.

We are authorized to announce THOMAS MURPHY, of Yatesville, for Jailer of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary of August, 1917.

David Boggs
For Judge.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Judge of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Republican party, at the August primary, 1917. DAVID BOGGS, Cherokee, Ky.

Roland Hutchison
For Assessor.

We are authorized to announce ROLAND HUTCHISON, of Dennis, as a candidate for Assessor of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Democratic party in the August, 1917 primary.

Lem Graham
For Jailer.

We are authorized to announce LEM GRAHAM, of Cherokee, for Jailer of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary election in August, 1917.

Garfield Roberts
For Jailer.

GARFIELD ROBERTS, of Busseyville, desires to announce that he is a candidate for Jailer of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Republican Primary, to be held in August, 1917.

Sam Sturgell
For Jailer.

We are authorized to announce SAM STURGELL, of Ellen, Ky., for Jailer of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Republicans in the primary election in August, 1917.

J. H. McClure
For County Judge.

We are authorized to announce JOHN H. MCCLURE as a candidate for County Judge, subject to the action of the Republicans of Lawrence-co., at the primary election of August, 1917.

Isaac Adams
For Jailer.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Jailer for Lawrence-co., subject to the Democratic primary, August, 1917. ISAAC ADAMS, son of Arthur Adams, Cordell, Ky.

L. E. Wallace
For Surveyor.

We are authorized to announce LAKE E. WALLACE as a candidate for County Surveyor of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Democrats in the August primary, 1917.

M. A. Hay
For County Clerk.

M. A. HAY announces his candidacy for Clerk of the Lawrence County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic party in the primary election of August, 1917.

Frank Pigg
For Jailer.

Gentlemen and Voters of Lawrence County:—I hereby declare myself a candidate for Jailer of Lawrence-co., and most sincerely ask your support for same at the Republican primary to be held August 4, 1917. FRANK PIGG, Louisa, Ky.

V. B. Shortridge
For Senator.

We are authorized to announce V. B. SHORTRIDGE, of Glenwood, Lawrence county, for the State Senate from the district composed of Boyd, Elliott, Greenup and Lawrence counties, subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary of August, 1917.

W. M. Fulkerson
for County Attorney.

We are authorized to announce W. M. FULKERSON as a candidate for County Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic voters in the primary of August, 1917.

Horace G. Thompson
For County Clerk

We are authorized to announce HORACE G. THOMPSON, of Dry Fork precinct, as a candidate for County Clerk of Lawrence County, subject to the action of the Democrats in the primary election of August, 1917.

NOTICE.

To all Sunday school workers of this magisterial district composed of Twin Branch, Busseyville and Lower Louisa voting precincts. Please organize your Sunday school at once and get ready for "Go-to-Sunday-School-Day" May 6, 1917. Let us make this a great day for the Sunday school and church. I can have literature furnished, sent free to schools for three months; if you want this literature send me the names of your superintendents and secretaries.

JAMES P. PRINCE,
District President,
Irond, Kentucky.
For prices and terms, if you mean business, see owner or write H. N. FISCHER, 110 East Central Avenue, Ashland, Ky. 11-12-17

ALL CHILDREN LOVE "SYRUP OF FIGS" FOR LIVER AND BOWELS

GIVE IT WHEN FEVERISH, CROSS,
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OR SOUR STOMACH.

Look at the tongue, Mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative;" they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has direction for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

False Report about Chas. Miller

Adeline, Ky., April 16, 1917.
Mr. M. F. Conley,
Louisia, Ky.

Dear Sir and Friend:—
It has been rumored by some thoughtless enemy that I have talked against this government and in favor of the Kaiser of Germany, stating that I have said I would be pleased if the Kaiser would be victorious over this country, and that this country would come under his tyrannical rule. Now I wish to state the unreasonableness of such an assertion. I was born in Switzerland. My father immigrated to this country when I was eight years old, it being in the year of 1865, just at the close of the war. He took the oath of allegiance in 1868 and lived a law abiding and loyal citizen until his death. I have been a voter for 35 years and have been blessed by the protection and freedom of this country of ours. Now, being born in a free country and having lived so long in this free country and reaped the blessing thereof, would it be reasonable for me to say that I favored the Central Powers Government of Tyranny and Imperialism? I say no. It is a malicious attack on my integrity. I love this country and am ready to defend its rights at any call to maintain its powers and freedom. Respectfully submitted to all the good people of this great country.
Signed,
CHAS. MILLER, Adeline, Ky.

Stenographers and Typewriters

Vacancies exist in the Quartermaster Depot at Jeffersonville, Indiana. Opportunities for persons who can qualify in typewriting, even though not in stenography, are good.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces an open competitive examination at Ashland, May 19th, to provide a register of eligibles from which to make certification for filling vacancies as they may occur in positions requiring the qualifications of stenography, typewriting, or stenography and typewriting in the Federal classified civil service in the vicinity of the places of examination.

Both men and women will be admitted to the examination.

Age, 18 years or over on the date of the examination.

Applicants must submit to the examiner on the day of the examination their photographs, taken within two years, securely pasted in the space provided on the admission cards sent them after their applications are filed. Tintypes, proofs, or group photographs will not be accepted.

Persons who wish to enter the examination should apply at once for Form 1424 and application blank (Form 1371) to the district secretary at the address below. Applicants should state in their applications the kind of examination desired—i. e., stenographer, typewriter, or combined stenographer and typewriter; those who apply for the stenographer examination will not be examined in typewriting, and those who apply for the typewriter examination will not be examined in stenography.

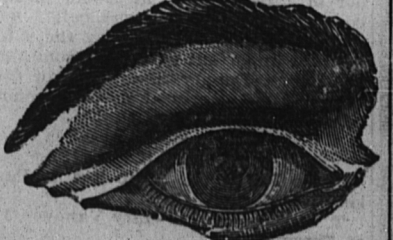
Applications must be properly executed and filed with the district secretary in time for him to arrange for the examination. The medical certificate on the application form should not be executed.

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LOUISA, KENTUCKY

The Good Roads Movement

The NEWS has published an account of the Good Roads meeting on the first day of the April Fiscal Court. Also, a list of the men appointed from the magisterial districts to compose the County Council. The following is from the report made by Mr. Fred M. Vinson, county secretary:

The organization is truly a volunteer movement. It has been perfected for the sole purpose of benefitting road conditions of our county, and herewith is outlined the plan of organization, and the intended workings of the association.

This association has a President and Secretary, whose jurisdiction is co-extensive with the entire county; from each Magisterial District in the county, there is to be selected one man to take charge of this work in his district, and to account to the officers of the county the results of the efforts obtained. The men selected from each Magisterial District, together with the President and Secretary of the Association, are to be known as The County Council of the Association; then there is to be selected two men in each voting precinct, who are to take charge and look after the interest of the people in their respective precincts. The controlling idea of the organization is to place into the hands of the people the responsibility of this movement, with such a division of labor as will proportionately place it upon every citizen in each precinct, to the end that each and every citizen therein shall assist in the work, which is for their common good, and to likewise participate in the benefit resulting therefrom in a fair measure.

This effort tending to the betterment of our country is one sacrificial in nature. No one receives monetary benefit for the services performed. It is a work leading to benefit of every citizen of the county; it is a labor of sacrifice and of love. It is hoped that the movement will have a far reaching effect upon the good of the community from its very inception; it is hoped that it will not be considered or treated as a partisan movement in any respect; it is hoped that the people of the county will recognize in the effort of the organization a real desire to assist the people, in getting good roads. The fact that things have not been done in your portion of the county, which, in your judgment, should have been done, should not deter you from being vitally interested in this movement as this association can not be blamed for anything that has been done, or failed to be done, heretofore; and will not be in position to be blamed for anything in the future if each and every citizen of the county will do their respective part in this movement.

It is the purpose of the association to have road meetings in each Magisterial District, at which meetings details of the association will be particularly outlined, and the two men for each precinct will be selected and the work then fairly begun.

This organization can attain only such results as the citizenship of the county desire; it can do no more nor less than the real inclination of the county demands. It is our hope and purpose to effectuate this Good Roads Association, and trust that it will secure the object of our desires—GOOD ROADS.

AUGUSTUS SNYDER, Pres.
FRED M. VINSON, Secy.

GLENWOOD.

Bro. S. J. Sparks preached at Glenwood Saturday night and Sunday and delivered two very interesting sermons.

Curtis Queen, who is employed at Ashland, spent Sunday with home folks.

Ella Hobbrook was shopping at Kiger & Ruckers store Saturday.

Ulric Miller of Ratcliff was visiting his brother-in-law, W. A. Cooksey this week.

Arthur Queen was the guest of Miss Marie Hanley Sunday evening.

Mrs. E. J. Wright spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother of this place.

Belvia Lawson was visiting Bertha Cooksey Wednesday evening.

Miss Amanda Burk, who has been attending school at Glen Springs, has returned home.

There will be church at Sand Hill Saturday night and Sunday. Everybody come and bring some one.

Curtis Holbrook, who is working at Holden, W. Va., is expected home soon.

Mont Cooksey was on our creek last Thursday.

Henry Howell was visiting his parents last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Eden Fannin of Ashland came

"Come on Over, See My Corn Fall Off!"

"I Put 2 Drops of 'Gets-It' on Last Night—Now Watch—"

"See—all you have to do is to use your two fingers and lift the corn right off. That's the way 'Gets-It' always works. You just put on about 2 drops. Then the corn not only shrivels, but loosens from the toe, without affecting the surrounding flesh in the least. Why, it's almost a pleasure to have corns and



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see how 'Gets-It' gets them off in a hurry and without the least pain. I can wear tight shoes, dance and walk as though I never had corns."

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out Sunday in their Fords. They say the roads are just fine. SNOOKS.

NORIS.

Mrs. J. S. O'Bryan was the guest of Mrs. Samuel Thompson Sunday.

Several from here attended church at Meads Branch Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Judd was visiting her father-in-law, Wess Judd of Meads Branch Saturday and Sunday.

Fred Thompson of this place left for West Va., Saturday morning where he intends to work awhile.

Mrs. Ida Pack of near Charley was visiting her aunt Mary Thompson here Saturday last.

Fred Austin was on our creek Sunday.

Aunt Fan Spencer was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lucy Ball Saturday and Sunday.

Charlie Moore has returned home from a three weeks visit in Illinois.

Mrs. Rosa Moore and daughter were visiting friends on Georges creek one day last week.

Fred Estep was visiting his sister, Mrs. Gypsy Miller last Friday.

We were sorry to hear of the death of uncle Albert Miller, who passed away April 5th. He was 60 years old and leaves a wife and 5 children, 4 brothers and 4 sisters and a host of friends to mourn his loss. He will be missed by all who knew him.

Marion France made a business trip to Louisa Monday.

HOPE, FAITH AND CHARITY.

FALLSBURG.

Bro. Kirk filled his appointment here Saturday night and Sunday with large attendance.

Bert Cooksey, who is very low with typhoid fever is no better.

Garland Webb was calling on Frances Skeens Sunday.

Lizzie Tomlin contemplates a visit to Ironton to see her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Elam of Greenop spent a few days with his sister, Mrs. Dr. J. W. Carter.

Louise Collinsworth attended an Easter party at her cousin's, Evelyn Ashworth, of Ashland. She also contemplates a trip to Inez to visit her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Yates of Ohio visited home folks this week.

We are sorry to hear about Fred Clay getting hurt by a mule kicking him on the face.

PANSY.

Jailer Attacked By Lunatic.

Charleston, W. Va., April 12.—J. R. Browning, county jailer at Madison, Boone-co., is in a critical condition in a hospital here as the result of an attack by a lunatic prisoner. The insane man struck the officer with a chair and then shot him twice using the officer's gun. The prisoner had been arrested after killing one man and injuring several others. His identity has not been made known here.

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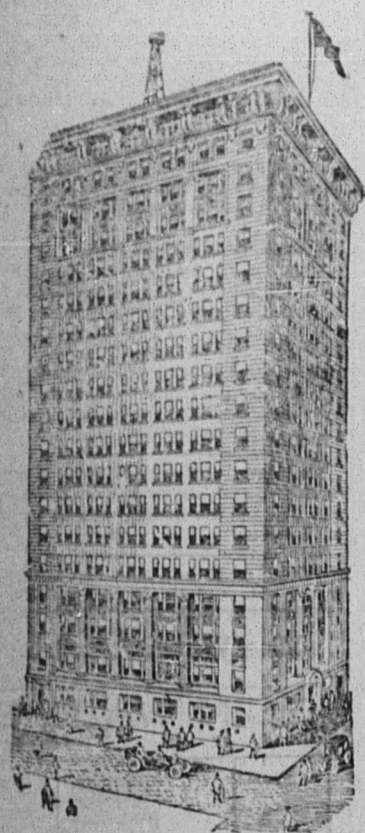
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Saturday, April 21, 1917

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HELLIER NEWS

Graded School For Hellier.

A petition is being circulated for a common graded and county high school, stipulating that an election be called immediately. Voters within the boundary are requested to attach their signatures thereto. This is Hellier's most urgent need, and it is looked at favorably.

Pay Roll Guarded.

The pay roll of the Edgewater Coal company that arrived Saturday morning, was guarded by three men, heavily armed, it is said, as it was being conveyed from the Hellier station to the Edgewater office.

Trooper Here.

Bruce Damron, a former Hellier boy, and now a United States trooper, stationed at a point in Georgia, is here visiting friends.

Recruiting Increasing.

Following is a revised list of the patriotic Hellier boys that have enlisted: Mont Wooten, Landon Hunt, Roy Bentley, Nute Harmon, Henderson Reliford, Jeff Russell, Jno. Kozee, Joe Curnett, Clyde Barnett, Fred Cooper, Jake McPecks, Delom McPecks, Jno. Babe Jr., Irvin Childress.

Edgewater Wins Again.

Edgewater scored seven, and Hellier four, in a baseball game played Sunday on the local diamond.

On Trip.

Jack Gibson, Jeff Gibson, Charlie Case and Fred Childress left Monday on a trip to Pikeville and Weeksbury. They expect to have a big time.

Date Changed.

The date set for the Battle Cry of Peace has been changed to Saturday, April 21st, which is one week sooner than anticipated. This picture shows what real preparedness means and it is quite a spectacle to see. It will be shown at the Princess.

Locals.

Miss Mary Smith, employed at Edge-

water, has left for home.

Dow Little went to Pikeville Saturday.

Harry Kaze is here. Harry has been away from Hellier for some time.

Forrest Steele went to Catlettsburg Monday.

Milt Smith was in Pikeville Monday. Read the home happenings. \$1 per year. See Harry Cohen.

Harry Cohen Says:

90 per cent of the people are judged by their appearance; it is alright to have good clothes, but a good reputation is more essential. A person is never too wise to learn more unless he thinks that he knows it all. A reputation builder. Listening, but not speaking unpleasant things about others.

Do you prize your health? You should give it first, last and serious consideration. Many give it consideration finally, yes, when it is too late. Don't let it happen in your case. Many people are chucked full of ideas but it takes energy to carry them out, and this is what they lack. Some folks are inclined to accuse the other fellow of having an easy job. It is always easier to accuse the other fellow than work yourself. Don't be a skeptic. You must trust others if they would trust you. A camel can go seven days without water, but who in Hellier wants to be a camel.

MRS. MARY WILLIAMS DIES.

Mrs. Mary Wells Williams, widow of Asa Williams, died in a hospital in Lexington and the body was taken to her home near Eons Camp, Johnson county, last Monday evening. She was a sister of Mrs. H. B. Hewlett, of this city. Mrs. Williams was 51 years of age and is survived by six children. The funeral was conducted on Tuesday by Rev. H. B. Hewlett and the burial took place in the Wells burial ground.

T. R. McClure sold one hog this week for \$25.50.

Neil B. Conley and Gus H. Snyder came home Monday from Lexington where they have been attending University of Kentucky.

CATLETTSBURG NEWS

Recovering.

Mrs. O. K. Bond is able to be out again, after a serious attack of measles. Her sister, Mrs. Ollie Auxier, who was with her during her illness, has returned to her home at Pikeville.

Mrs. Crawford, wife of Dr. Crawford, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Pikeville, was the guest Monday of Mrs. E. P. Harris and the two visited Huntington. Mrs. Crawford went to Cincinnati Tuesday, returning to her home at Pikeville on Wednesday evening.

W. H. Justice has gone to Pikeville and Fish Trap, Ky. He was accompanied by Mrs. Justice, who will go to Big Yukon, Va., to visit her daughter, Mrs. Zenna Charles.

Attended Recital.

Miss Jennie Thornbury sang and Miss Rasha Ramey was accompanist at a recital given by the musical department of the Parochial school at Ashland last week. Mrs. L. R. Thornbury and Mrs. Alice Ramey attended the recital.

Bright Child Dead.

Eleanor Frances, the sweet little fifteen months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Wechsler, died at the home on Broadway at 12 o'clock Saturday, after a three weeks' illness of double pneumonia.

New Daughter In Wray Home.

Mrs. Harry Chatfield received a telegram from Altoona, Pa., informing her of the arrival of a daughter in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Wray. Mrs. Wray, who is a sister of Mrs. Chatfield, was formerly Mrs. Myrtle Scott-Yost of this city.

Callers Here.

Mrs. Dan Hager and daughter, Miss Edna and Miss Frankie Thompson, the latter a teacher in the Sandy Valley Seminary, were callers on Miss Maxine Yost here yesterday. They had been in Huntington, visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Patton Hager. They left for Paintsville.

Entertained To Dinner.

Mrs. Grant Thornbury entertained at a family dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Thornbury, son, Puria, who is a visitor here from Jenkins, Miss Nora Conley and Miss Frances Dugger.

From Paintsville.

H. A. Borders of Paintsville, was a business visitor here yesterday.

Louisian Here.

Forest L. Stewart of Louisiana, was here yesterday, having left later for Ashland.

Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Gallup were in South Point yesterday, calling on Miss Grace Wooten, who is very ill.

Married Permits.

John Groff, 36, Alice Webbe, 44, both of Logan, W. Va., Joseph F. Adkins, 23, Rush, Ky., Edna Meadows, 23, Aden, Ky.

Boys Tried.

Six boys were brought here from Ashland by several officers and were tried in Judge Wade's juvenile court on various charges, mainly stealing and staying out of school. Three of the boys were sentenced to the Reform School until twenty-one years of age. The others were given suspended sentences and were thoroughly lectured. The ones sentenced were Martin, fifteen, Theodore Spurlock, fourteen, and Tom Ninie, fourteen. The others were Henry Adkins, nine, George Kimbler, twelve and Charlie Kimbler, eight. These boys have caused Judge Wade much trouble and they appear to be incorrigibles. They are from in and around Ashland.

Buried Yesterday.

The remains of the man, presumably John Moore, who was killed near here by a C. & O. train a month ago, and which have since been held at Kilgore's undertaking establishment here, were buried last afternoon in the potter's field of Catlettsburg cemetery. The undertaker, Mr. Henry Collier, read the burial rites and a prayer at the grave. This man, who doubtless had loved ones and whom some one loved dearly, sleeps in an unknown grave.

LETCHER COUNTY

The grand jury has returned indictments against Redwine Holland and Pat Holland, the latter a policeman at Haymond, in this county, charging them with the murder of Howard Wilson at Haymond last week. The cases will be passed until the twelfth day of the present term of the Circuit Court.

After an investigation by the grand jury into the killing of Bob Burdwell, a mechanic, at Camp Beach, in March, Elijah Lucas, held in jail on the charge was released. A warrant has been issued for Parve Lucas in connection with the case.

James C. Thompson, aged twenty, a Middleboro electrician, accepted two years and a day in the penitentiary on agreement by attorneys on both sides for the murder of Miss Lula Blanton at Neon, April 30 last year. Important witnesses could not be obtained.

Murder Case Passed.

The case of the commonwealth against James C. Thompson, a Middleboro electrician, held here for the murder of Lula Blanton at Neon, in this county, April 30, last was called and passed until Monday pending the summons of important witnesses from Perry county. Deputy Sheriff Jason Cox was detailed as special sheriff to summons witnesses in Perry.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Jonas Payne, Jr., 23, to Bertha Parker, 20, of Ellen.

T. R. Boggs, 23, to Mary Vanover, 17, of Terryville.

Dennis Welch, 27, to Mollie Vanhoose, 22, of Hatfield, W. Va.

Leonard Eldridge, 20, to Stella Skaggs, 16, Sciotoville, O.

Charlie Crabtree, 24, to Genoa Large, 25, Overda.

It is reported that Mr. J. M. Mounts has donated to the Christian church the lot on Madison-st., recently purchased from J. P. Gartin.

FLOYD COUNTY'S RECORD FOR WEEK.

Kensington.

Mrs. Jo M. Davidson entertained to a Kensington on Thursday of last week in honor of her guest Mrs. Jo R. Damron of Huntington. At four o'clock a delicious salad course was served to Misses Ella Noel White, Bess Leete, Josephine Cooley, Mesdames J. R. Damron, W. B. Burke, W. P. McVay, S. C. Ferguson, Jas. Salisbury, E. P. Arnold, Thos. Wilkinson, W. H. Layne, C. Y. Ligon, C. W. Evans, N. M. White, J. P. Pope, A. J. May, E. P. Elam, J. D. Harkins, Sam Spradlin.

Returns Home.

Mrs. Jo R. Damron, who has been the attractive guest of Mrs. Jo Davidson, returned to her home in Huntington on last Friday. She was accompanied as far as East Point by Misses Ruth Davidson and Ella Noel White.

In Serious Condition.

Mr. J. M. Weddington, who has been suffering intensely since last Thursday noon, was rushed to Ironton on a special train Sunday night at midnight. On Monday morning Drs. Marting and Callihan operated and found the cause of his suffering to be adhesions of the stomach. Little hope of his recovering was given by physicians until Wednesday morning. He is some better. His many friends are anxious about him. Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Leete and Mrs. Miranda Marrs left Tuesday afternoon for Ironton to be with him.

Japanese Tea And Bazaar.

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church will give a Japanese Tea and Bazaar on Friday and Saturday at the old postoffice building. Beside the Japanese work there will be for sale cakes, pies, candies and all kinds of handwork. Everybody is invited to come. Tea and cakes will be served.

Return From Wayside.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Harkins and Miss Josephine returned Sunday from several weeks visit to Dr. and Mrs. G. L. Howard in Mayfield.

Commencement Exercises.

The commencement exercises of the Baptist Institute begun Monday night with the "Little Folks" drills, etc. Tuesday evening Mrs. Maude Rose's Music Recital was splendid.

Meeting Postponed.

A meeting of Floyd County Sunday School Association was postponed this week on account of the commencement exercises. There will be a meeting of all officers on next Monday evening at seven o'clock in the Baptist church.

Miss Stephens Entertained.

The home of Miss Ethel Stephens was the meeting place for the young folks on Tuesday evening. Dancing was the amusement for all who attended. Music was furnished by James Davidson, his guitar and harp. A very pleasant evening was spent with the attractive hostess.

Home For Week-End.

Miss Grace Layne was home this week from Pikeville. She had as her guest Miss Elizabeth Mayo Sowards.

Locals.

E. J. Halley returned Monday night from Columbus and Ironton, Ohio. Lewis Mayo, who has been in Ironton returned home Saturday evening. Mrs. Stephen Pieratt, of Mt. Sterling is visiting her daughter, Mrs. N. M. White, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie May have returned home from Vanceburg where they have been visiting relatives.

Miss Edith Fitzpatrick went to Auxier Friday.

Mr. Ernest Hart preached at the Presbyterian church on Sunday.

A. L. Wilson was in Paintsville last Friday.

Mrs. Joel C. Martin has returned from Louisville where she visited her daughter.

Mrs. C. L. Huttsiniller, who has been indisposed for some time is able to be out again.

W. H. May, of Jenkins is here visiting his brother, A. J. May and family. E. S. Shurtleff left for Wayland and Weeksbury Monday.

E. P. Arnold is at home for a few days. Miss Anna and Mary Fitzpatrick were in Paintsville Friday shopping.

Young Ladies Guild.

The Young Ladies Guild met with Mrs. Leonidas Moles on Wednesday afternoon. Dainty refreshments were served to quite a number.

WANTED:—25 coal loaders and day men. Good houses, good water, good schools and church right in the place, no trouble of any kind. Loaders make from \$3.00 to \$6.00 per day. Apply to J. P. Small, Superintendent, E. R. Johnson Coal Mining Co., Haghey, W. Va. Transportation furnished for any three families. 6-11.

Proud Lady Walnut Hill, 707, the pullet that has broken the world record for consecutive laying with 94 straight lays, was one of a family of 1,500 that first saw the light of day in an incubator last spring. With this number of brothers and sisters the family connection in time may almost equal those that came over in the Mayflower.—Cynthiana Democrat.

A new Christian church was dedicated at Greenup last Sunday. It is a beautiful brick structure and the cost was about \$7000.

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PIKE COUNTY NEWS

RETURNS AFTER 20 YEARS.

Will M. Smith, Jr., son of Will M. Smith, former Sheriff of Pike-co., has returned after having been "lost" for twenty years. He was adopted by a contractor when he was only 9 months old. The adopting parents took him to Fayette-co., West Va., where he grew into manhood, but kept in ignorance of the fact that he was not their son.

The lad's foster mother recently died, and on her deathbed she revealed the name of the real father to young Smith. Immediately after her death he hastened to Pikeville to join his sister, Mrs. J. D. Kash, and later met his father.

VISIT DOWN RIVER POINTS.

Mrs. Willis Staten, who has been visiting her daughter in Williamson, W. Va., will visit in Huntington and Ashland before returning home.

Mrs. Ed Stephenson and child are visiting her parents, Judge and Mrs. J. B. Bennett in Greenup.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gevedon had as their guests a few days, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Vaughan and son, of Appalachia, Virginia.

Stewart Bauls, road foreman of C. & O. engines, was a recent visitor here.

From West Virginia.

Mr. Wade Walker, of Vulcan, W. Va., was here on business Tuesday.

Returned To Greenup.

Judge W. C. Holbert of Greenup, has been holding a special term of court this week. He left for his home Wednesday afternoon.

Attended Court.

Mr. Bob Buskirk of Matewan, West Va., was here the first of this week attending court.

Visitors From Williamson.

Mr. C. M. White, of Williamson, was here on legal business Monday and Tuesday. He was accompanied by Mrs. White.

Visited Prestonsburg.

Miss Elizabeth Sowards and Grace Layne spent Sunday with relatives in Prestonsburg.

Returned From Florida.

Mr. James A. Sowards, who has been in Florida for the past month, has returned home much benefited in health by the trip and the rest.

Miss Hatcher Entertained.

The Arachne Club was very pleasantly entertained by Miss Olga Hatcher, on Saturday afternoon at her home on College-st. A number of invited guests were present, including Mrs. Howard Porter, Mrs. W. P. Call, Mrs. J. E. Sanders and Miss Virgie Hatcher. Late in the afternoon a delicious salad course was served.

Recovering From Pneumonia.

Little Clarence Crayton Daves, son of Rev. C. C. Daves, pastor of the First Baptist church, who has been very ill of pneumonia is very much better and it is hoped that his recovery will be rapid. He has been nursed during his illness by Miss Ida May Gibson of Ironton.

Entertain In Church Parlors.

The social committee of the Y. P. S. C. E., of the First Presbyterian church, very delightfully entertained the members of this society and their friends at the church parlors on Friday evening, April 13.

Baby Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Madison Hatcher are the proud parents of a ten pound daughter, Katharine Vickers, who came to their home on Thursday, April 12.

Alumni Association.

The Alumni Association of Pikeville College held a business meeting at the home of its President, Miss Ethel Ruth Francis, on Monday evening. Committees were appointed and plans were discussed for the annual banquet of the association, which will be held on May seventeenth.

Moving Pictures.

Movie fans of Pikeville are very much interested in the sequel to "The Diamond From The Sky," which is being shown at the Imp theatre on Saturday evenings.

Serviles At Christian Church.

Rev. Stambaugh of Charleston, W. Va., is holding very successful evangelistic services at the Christian church this week. Rev. Stambaugh is pastor of the local Christian church fourteen years ago. Mrs. Stambaugh is here with him and they are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Powers.

From Inez.

Mrs. Hester Newberry of Inez, is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Willis Staten.

Visiting On Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hatcher and little son, Walter Trimble, Jr., went to Abbott on Saturday for a visit to the former's grandmother, Mrs. Elliott. Mr. Hatcher returned on Monday, leaving Mrs. Hatcher and the baby for a ten days visit.

Court Visitor.

Mr. Guy White, County Attorney of Mingo county, West Va., was here attending court on Monday and Tuesday.

Business Visitor.

Mr. Geo. P. Crockett, of Bluefield, W. Va., is here on business this week.

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Mr. Fred Stambaugh of Charleston, W. Va., was here on legal business, connected with the title of some coal lands in Pike-co., last week.

Meeting Of O. E. S. Chapter.

Anna O. Young Chapter of the O. E. S. held a very interesting meeting last Tuesday evening. The Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Minnie being present. Quite a large percent of the membership was present. Mr. Alphonso Wright was initiated. One of the prominent features of the evening was an address by the Worthy Grand Matron, in which she complimented the work of the chapter very highly. Mrs. A. S. Resse sang a solo, and Miss Mae Elliott, gave a reading. After the chapter was closed delicious refreshments were served.

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Visitor From Pittsburgh.

Mr. John Hunkle, representing Title & Guaranty company of Pittsburgh, has been a business visitor in Pikeville during the past week.

Personals.

Mr. Virgil Forsyth of Jenkins passed through Pikeville Monday.

Mrs. E. D. Stephenson has gone to Greenup to visit with her parents, Judge and Mrs. Bennett.

Mr. A. E. Hatfield, candidate for Sheriff, was a business visitor here this week.

Mrs. Gentry Entertains.

The Woman's Home Mission Society of the First M. E. Church South, met with Mrs. Gentry at the Pike hotel on Friday evening, April 13. Late in the evening delicious ice cream and cake were served.

DOINGS OF JOHNSON COUNTY PEOPLE.

Accepts Position In Hawaii.

Oscar Picklesimer has accepted a position as teacher in the Hawaiian Islands at a salary of \$1,200 per year. Mr. Picklesimer will leave for Hawaii about the middle of April.

Ernest Preston Did Not Lose His Life.

Some months ago Ernest "Cyrew" Preston, son of George W. Preston, of this town, went to England. It was reported he left England for New York a few days ago on the ship Crispin. The Crispin was torpedoed off the coast of Wales by a German submarine and the report was that Preston went down with this ship. Much concern was entertained by the people of this locality over Preston's fate, the anxiety growing more intense because no definite information about him could be obtained for some time. Finally it was learned that he started on the Steamer Francis on April 6, and he is expected home soon.

Mrs. Paulsley Dead.

Mrs. J. M. Paulsley died Tuesday at her home at Columbus, O., after a lingering illness of several months.

Mrs. Paulsley was formerly Miss Fannie Atkinson, sister of Dr. Atkinson and Aunt Lou Preston of this city.

Returned From Inez.

Judge J. F. Bailey has returned from Inez, where he has been holding court for the past two weeks.

Returned From Olive Hill.

Miss Olga Stapleton has returned from Olive Hill, where she has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. D. Mayo, Jr.

Mrs. Grover Crider returned Tuesday from an Iront